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Comment Of The Day

HONGKONG From The Air

PRINCE Philip sets off on a tour that will take him round the world in 100 days. Like his great grandfather, Albert, the Prince Consort, who inspired the Great Exhibition, Philip's special interests are science and industry and it is these that take him to India. It was his great grandmother, Victoria, who began the vogue of Royal visits to the extremities of the Empire. Thus Philip follows two long-established Royal traditions.

Unlike his famous forbears, he can with modern means of travel girdle the still far-flung Commonwealth in a period of time undreamt of 100 years ago. The advantage is that Hongkong can today be visited by the Queen's consort when 70 years ago time and distance permitted tours of the smallest outposts by less prominent members of the Royal Family: thus, the Duke of Connaught, the Queen's son, in 1890.

By Helicopter

BUT it would be wrong to assume that Prince Philip is doing this tour only because duty demands it and that its only aim is the promotion of Commonwealth ties. The monotony of the official routing which accompanies him everywhere is surely the least pleasing prospect he faces. He enjoys travelling, seeing new places, new people. And he looks forward to as much informality and genuine, intelligent sight-seeing as possible.

In the brief visit the Duke is making it will not be possible, except in brief outline, to show him what makes Hongkong the vibrant, enterprising community it is today. Sir Alexander Grantham who accompanies him will be able to tell him a lot, but in a couple of spare hours we could give him a good idea of our achievements if we put a helicopter at his disposal and sent him and Sir Robert Black on a flight around Hongkong.

The Wonders

HE could see our modern factories at Tsun Wan and Kun Tong, the network of dams in the Territories, the vast resettlement blocks, the new Kai Tak, the breaking yards of Lai-chi-ko, our dockyards in Kowloon, the towering density of the peninsula, then over to Tai-koo, one of the biggest building yards on the Asian continent, the skyscraper city of Victoria on reclaimed land, the splendour of the island — and then across to Lantau where Shek Pik is beginning and Australian cattle graze on the hills.

Here is the Hongkong Prince Philip will want to see — lot him see it all from the air in a way that he will remember, for here, and throughout present-day Asia are wonders that will make this latest tour of the travelling Duke one of the most memorable of all. He comes to this East to preside over a conference that will report on more progress by mankind. And it is right that he should see wherever he goes not only his loyal subjects abroad, but the way their industry, their initiative and their labour have brought greatness to the Commonwealth that the Queen and he are privileged to rule.

AIRLINER CARRYING KREMLIN'S No. 2 MAKES EMERGENCY LANDING MIKOYAN IN PLANE DRAMA



Anastas Mikoyan

One Engine Feathered, Another Catches Fire Over Atlantic

New York, Jan. 20.

The airliner carrying the Soviet Deputy Premier, Anastas Mikoyan, home from the U.S. caught fire over the Atlantic tonight. It limped 250 miles on two engines to an emergency landing in Newfoundland escorted by three planes.

A Royal Canadian Air Force Lancaster patrol bomber, a Pan American World Airways plane and an Air France Super-Constellation all rushed to shepherd the crippled plane to a safe landing.

The four-engine Scandinavian Airlines System DC-7C, which had been heavily guarded in New York and searched thoroughly for any signs of sabotage, developed engine trouble at 7:15 p.m., about 3½ hours after taking off for Copenhagen with 31 passengers and a crew of eight.

First Word

The first word of trouble was a radio message from the pilot to the airline officials at Idlewild International Airport. He said that he had been forced to feather one of his outside engines and asked for advice on where to make an emergency landing.

SAS officials directed the plane to Argentia, Newfoundland. It was headed in that direction when, at about 7:30 p.m., the other outside engine burst into flames.

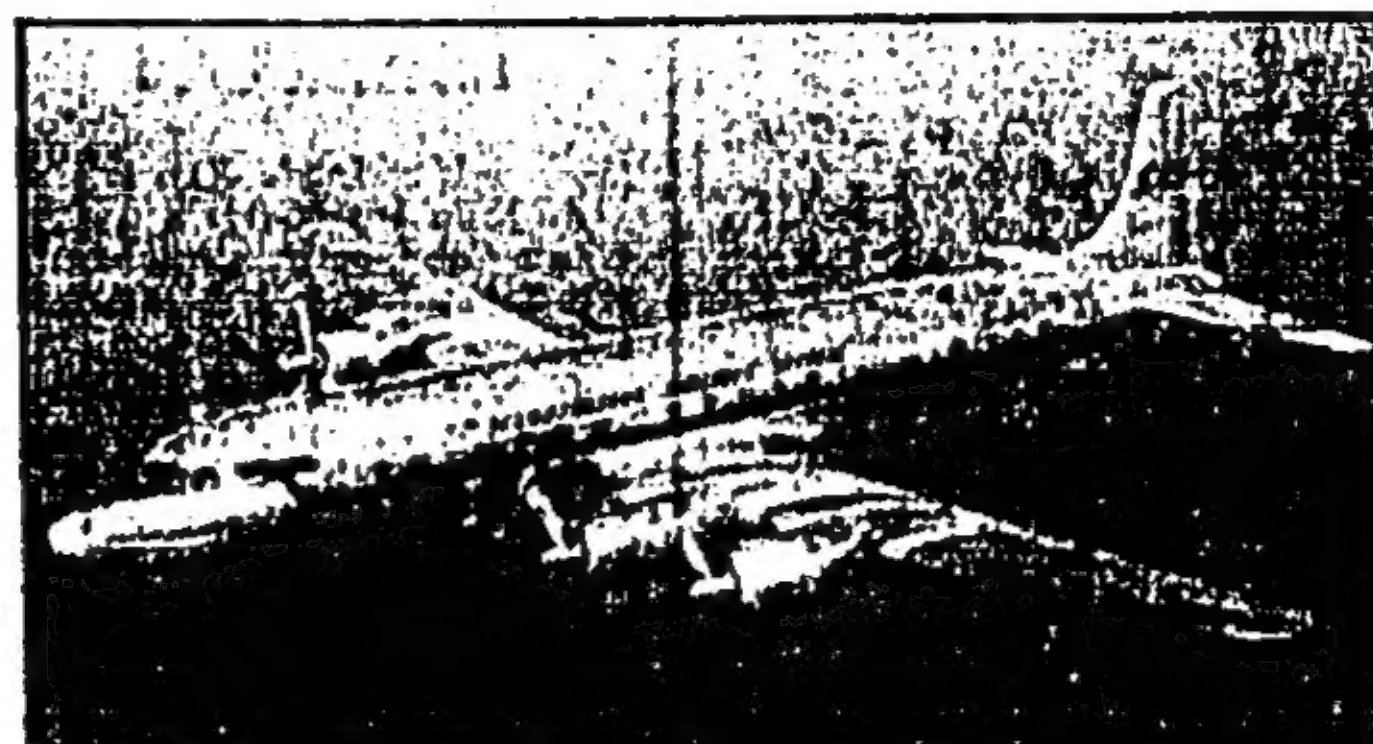
The crew extinguished the fire. At 7:20 p.m. a Pan American DC-7 carrying 40 passengers to London picked up a radio request for assistance. Within 15 minutes, the Pan American plane intercepted the crippled airliner and escorted it to a safe landing at Argentia.

In Washington, the Civil Aeronautics Board said it would not investigate the forced landing because it did not occur on U.S. territory. Officials said they would co-operate willingly with investigators from other countries if their aid were sought.

The Fifth Naval District Headquarters at Norfolk, Virginia, which controls U.S. naval activities in the Atlantic area, received a radio report on the landing from the Commander of the naval air station at Argentia.

Smooth Landing
Captain Hastings said the limping plane landed in a snowstorm but snow removal crews had put the runway in good shape for the emergency landing by the time the airliner arrived.

He said the SAS plane made a well-controlled approach and a smooth landing. Mr. Mikoyan and his party went immediately to the hotel quarters at the station and watched a bowling league meet in which naval personnel participated. Argentia is the main base for the Navy's Early Warning Aircraft system, which flies regular radar patrols over the North Atlantic to guard against a sneak Russian attack.—U.P.I.



DC-7C . . . on two engines and a prayer.

Out-Dated Textbooks In Hongkong — Only A Few

London, Jan. 20.

A Labour Member, Mr John Rankin, asked in the Commons today what the Hongkong Government had done to revise the school history books in the colony to bring them into line with changes that had taken place in Asia since 1945.

Kramer Wins Battle With Australian Tennis Association

Melbourne, Jan. 20.

THE Victorian Lawn Tennis Association, in a surprise move, tonight voted to permit Jack Kramer's professional troupe the use of Kooyong Stadium during the 1959-60 season.

In announcing its decision, the local association pointed that Kramer would be allowed to lease the famous Melbourne courts "provided satisfactory terms within

the framework of the Lawn Tennis Association of Australia can be arranged."

The LTAA has been conducting a running feud with Kramer and recently banned his troupe from all courts under its jurisdiction. However, the American promoter maintains his group will tour Australia again next season, even if it has to play on portable courts in outlying districts.—U.P.I.

Another Two Suspects In Louey Shooting

Two further suspects in the shooting and attempted robbery of Mr W. S. T. Louey on December 22, last year, appeared in court this morning at Kowloon. They were remanded for three days in Police custody by Mr P. F. X. Leonard.

Defendants, Lee Yu, 35 unemployed, and Lee Lok, 43, unemployed of 3 Valley Road, third floor, were charged with attempted armed robbery, shooting with intent, wounding with intent to cause grievous bodily harm, possession of a .32 revolver and six rounds of ammunition, and robbery with aggravation (an alternative to the first charge).

It is alleged that the defendants, with Lee Yun, Lee Wing alias Ngai Chai, and Lee Cheuk, and others not in custody, committed the offences on December 22, at 81 Waterloo Road, Kowloon.

Empire Fowey Towed To Suez

Port Said, Jan. 20.
The British troopship Empire Fowey, which has been held up in the Suez Canal since late Sunday with engine trouble, will be towed to Suez tonight.

The 10,110-ton vessel is en route to Hongkong from Southampton. Yesterday the Canal authority sent mechanics to the ship which has been immobilised in the Great Bitter Lakes.—Reuters.

Baghdad, Jan. 20.
Iraq will not attend the meeting of the Baghdad Pact's Ministerial Council opening in Kairouan next Monday, an Iraqi Foreign Office spokesman said today.—Reuters.

Mild And Wet In Britain

London, Jan. 20.
The whole of Britain had abnormally mild but wet weather for the time of the year today with temperatures ranging 60 degrees Fahrenheit in some areas, including London.

Melting snow and rain caused flooding in some rural areas.—Reuters.

'Won't Tolerate Such Vice' Uproar Over Call Girl Programme

New York, Jan. 20.

Mr Robert Wagner, Mayor of New York, said today he would ask police to investigate charges, made in a sensational radio programme last night, that American business executives were employing call girls to promote business deals.

A spokesman for the Mayor said: "If there is any truth in the reports . . . the police will crack down fast. We will not tolerate such scandal and vice in the city."

The 55-minute programme, narrated by Mr Ed Murrow, sought to show how prostitution had become part of the American business way of life. Called "The Business of Sex," the programme was recommended "for adult listening only."

Won't Reveal

A Columbia Broadcasting System official said they would try to co-operate as far as possible, but people taking part in the programme had been promised that their identities would not be revealed.

He disclosed that reaction to the show began to pour into the C.B.S. office within 10 minutes of the programme going on the air. "They were about 60-40 in favour," he said.

Spokesmen for two Chambers of Commerce discounted any suggestion that they might protest officially but one said individual members might protest on their own behalf.

The spokesman for the American Chamber of Commerce added, "If that sort of thing does take place, I doubt whether it takes place to the extent made out. It is more restricted than the way they describe it. Even if it does occur, it is not in very good taste to handle it as they did."

Friendships

One of the women interviewed in the radio programme said she earned up to \$25,000 yearly to "go out with men".

A businessman, who would not be identified, said that the initiative was taken in "to strengthen friendships," but



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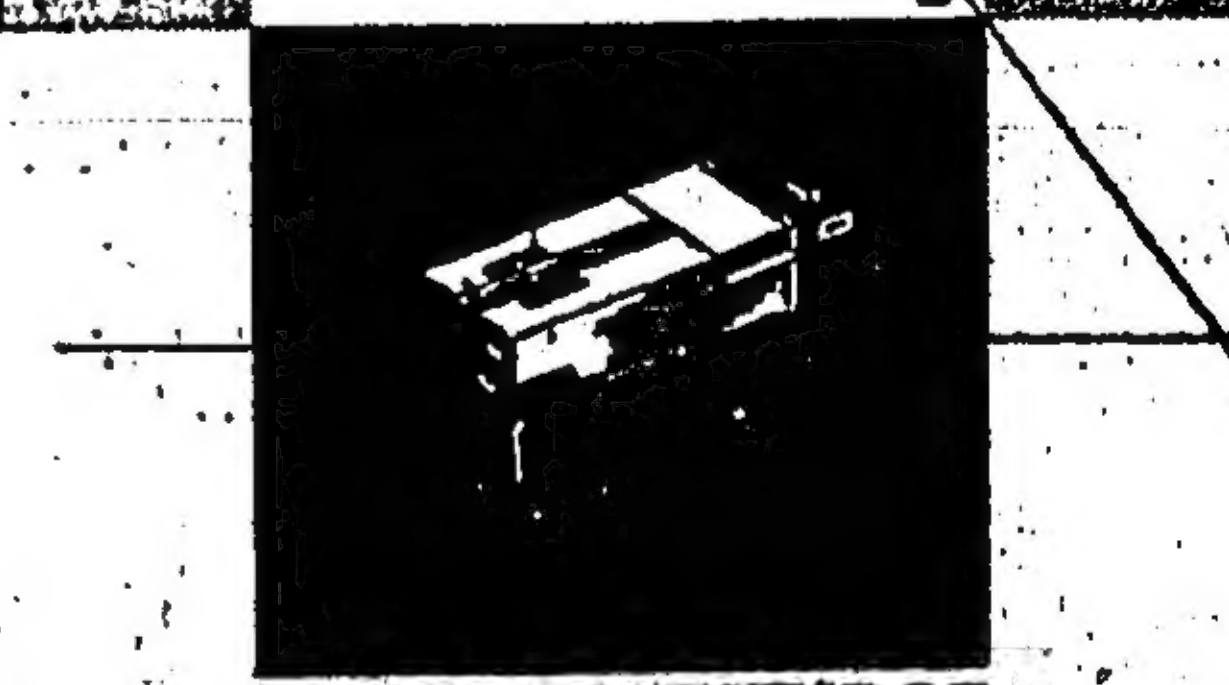
added: "If the product you are selling is worthless, it will not be bought no matter the number of women you bring along"—Reuters and Franco-Press.

Tension Easing

London, Jan. 20.
Mr Harold Macmillan, Britain's Prime Minister, said today that the recent exchanges with the Soviet Government had shown there exists a desire for negotiation on both sides.

Mr Macmillan, who was answering questions in the House of Commons, added: "We are now consulting our Allies about the initiative we might take in the light of this fact."—Reuters.

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RANDOLPH CAMPAIGNS IN WRONG CONSTITUENCY!

London, Jan. 20.
RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, the son of Sir Winston Churchill, got off to a bad start today in launching himself as a candidate for the Conservative seat in the House of Commons from Bournemouth East. He went to the wrong constituency.

At a press conference at the Five Stars Royal Bath Hotel at Bournemouth, he explained he had come to "test the political temperature."

He said he hoped some local politicians would call on him to discuss the state of Bournemouth East.

"They won't come here," quipped a reporter.

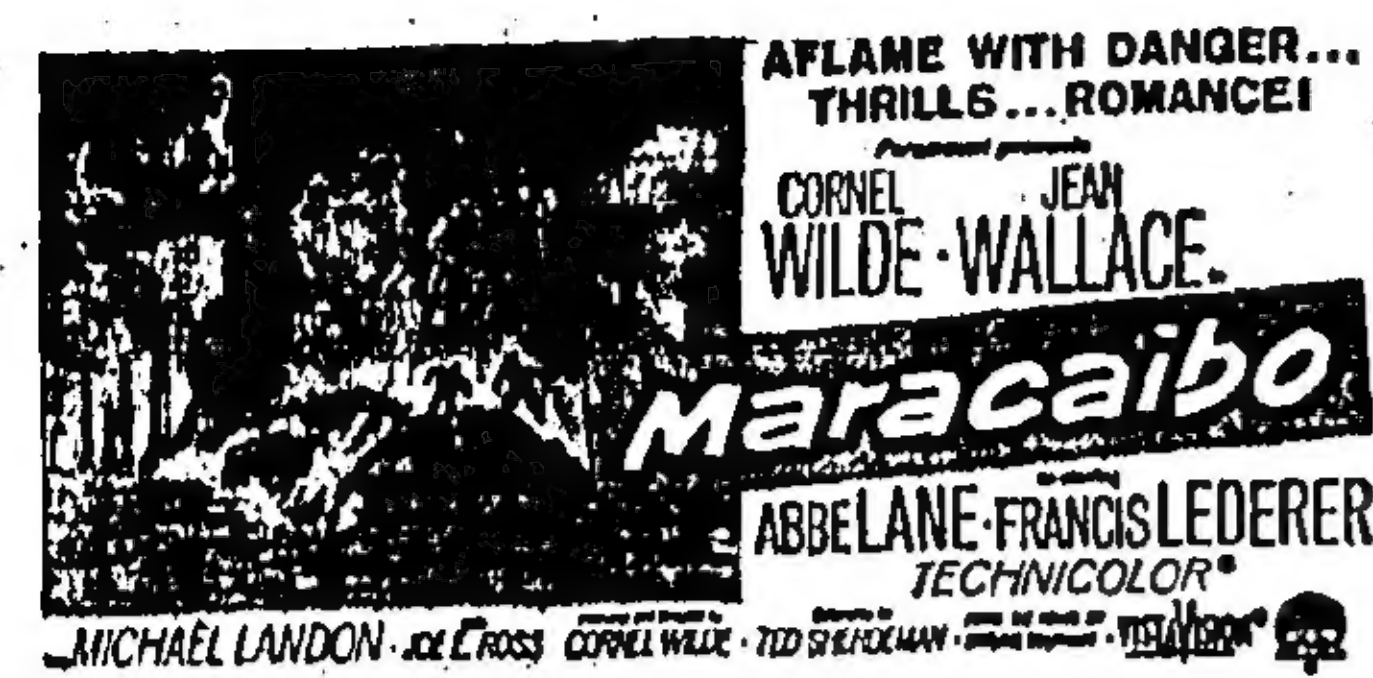
"Why not?" asked Churchill.

"Well, this is Bournemouth West," he was told.

"Well, I must get a map and ally forth," Churchill said.—U.P.I.

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Socialists Will Put Attlee On The Mat

By DOUGLAS CLARK

London, Jan. 20. The indiscretions of Earl Attlee will be raised behind the scenes at Westminster this week when the parliamentary Socialist Party meets after the Christmas recess.

Socialists are angry with his article in the Political Quarterly in which he accused MPs he had known—on both sides of the House—of being careerists and title-chasers and of putting private interests first. His Socialist critics intend to recall that when he was party leader it was agreed on his urging—to refrain from attacking each other in the House, the Press, and on the platform. Now, they will say, he has flouted the rule on which he himself insisted.

'Quite Sure'

Yesterday, at his orchard-fringed Buckinghamshire home, Lord Attlee was unaware of the controversy his article had provoked.

Said he: "I'm quite sure I have been fair. What I wrote was the fruit of 36 years' experience. I don't see how it could possibly be construed as a breach of parliamentary privilege." Then he went back to work—on ANOTHER magazine article which will give a verbatim account of his comments on Mr. Jinnah in his recent controversial TV interview.—London Express Service.

CHURCHES ROW OVER SCHOOLS

London, Jan. 20. A BITTER dispute over Education Minister Mr. Geoffrey Lloyd's plan to provide more public money for Roman Catholic schools is nearing a climax.

The plan has aroused angry feeling in the Free Churches.

They fear that on Thursday, when M.P.s debate education, Mr. Lloyd may announce specific proposals—before he has consulted their leaders.

Trouble began with last month's Education White Paper which recognised that "the Churches may need some further help" over school building.

Since then Roman Catholic leaders, headed by the Rt. Rev. George Andrew Beck, Bishop of Salford, have urged that the Treasury grant payable for capital expenditure on existing Roman Catholic schools should be increased from 50 per cent to 75 per cent.

Talking

In addition they want the taxpayer to provide 75 per cent towards the cost of building new Roman Catholic schools. To a lesser extent, the Free Churches are opposing the Church of England which wants the grant similarly increased for its existing schools.

During the Christmas recess Mr. Lloyd has been busy trying to forestall trouble. He has had private talks with Mr. James Griffiths, Socialist deputy leader, and Mr. Michael Stewart, M.P. Socialist education expert. He urged them not to turn the matter into a big inter-party dispute.

Last Monday he saw Church of England representatives led by Dr. Robert Stopford, Bishop of Peterborough.

Mr. Lloyd is talking to the other Churches AFTER the debate—the Free Churches on January 29 and the Roman Catholics on February 2.

Protesting

But the Free Churches are not waiting till then to protest. The latest issue of the Baptist Times says: "Any large programme of financing new Church schools out of public funds might have grave consequences."

The Christian World, voice of the Congregationalists, says: "Free Church opinion generally stands uncompromisingly against the Roman Catholic claim that new Catholic schools should be provided very largely at the expense of the Protestant public."

NOTE: Of 29,148 primary and secondary schools in Britain, 8,810 are Church of England, 1,204 Roman Catholic, —London Express Service.

CHURCHILL

FOOTS BILL

Sandwiches and coffee for the guard

From ROBIN STAFFORD

Marrakesh, Jan. 21. Who pays for the meals of the plain clothes detectives assigned to guard Sir Winston Churchill during his six-week stay in Morocco's luxurious Mamounia Hotel in Marrakesh?

CHANCE IN A MILLION

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Drumright Predicts Rising In China

Taipei, Jan. 20.

The United States Ambassador, Mr. Everett F. Drumright, said today people on the China mainland would eventually rise against Communist rule and that it would give the Nationalists a chance to recover their lost land.

Mr. Drumright, former Consul-General in Hongkong, made this declaration in a speech to the Chinese Association for the United Nations, today.

The United States held the view that the rule of Communism on the mainland "is not permanent but will pass." "Signs are evident that the Communists do not represent the true will or aspirations of the Chinese people. As with other despoticisms the Chinese people will rise to smite this one down."

Three Principles

"Then the day will be here when you can resume on the mainland the task of carrying out the completion of your late leader's (Dr. Sun Yat-sen's) Three Principles (nationalism, democracy and social well-being)."

Mr. Drumright said the United States would continue to support and give military and economic assistance to the Nationalist Government which he described as an "authentic spokesman for the aspirations and hopes of the free Chinese everywhere."

The United States policy, Mr. Drumright said, was to eliminate the use of threat or force to accomplish international aims.

He said the United States had rejected the Communist contention that they could use force to solve the Formosa problem or drive the United States from the western Pacific. —Reuter.

Death Of The Queen's Aunt

London, Jan. 20.

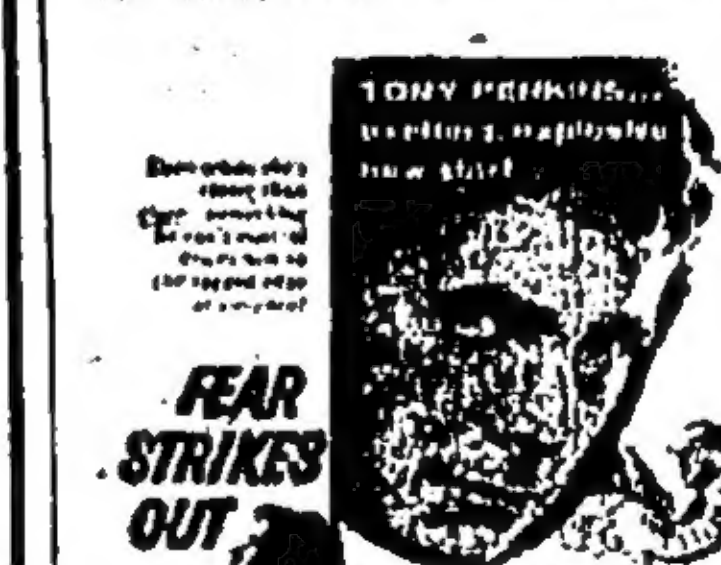
The death of Mrs Elizabeth Margaret Bowes Lyon, an aunt of the Queen by marriage was announced today.

Aged 59, she was the widow of Lieutenant Colonel Michael Bowes Lyon brother of the Queen Mother. He died in 1933.

During the war Mrs Bowes Lyon worked in an aircraft factory. —China Mail Special.

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Washington Visit

Washington, Jan. 20.

President Arturo Frondizi of Argentina arrived by air today on an official visit. He was greeted at the airport by President Eisenhower and Mr. John Foster Dulles. —Reuter.

Out Of Bed

New York, Jan. 20.

Gen. George C. Marshall was allowed out of bed on Monday for the first time since he suffered a mild stroke on Thursday. —U.P.I.

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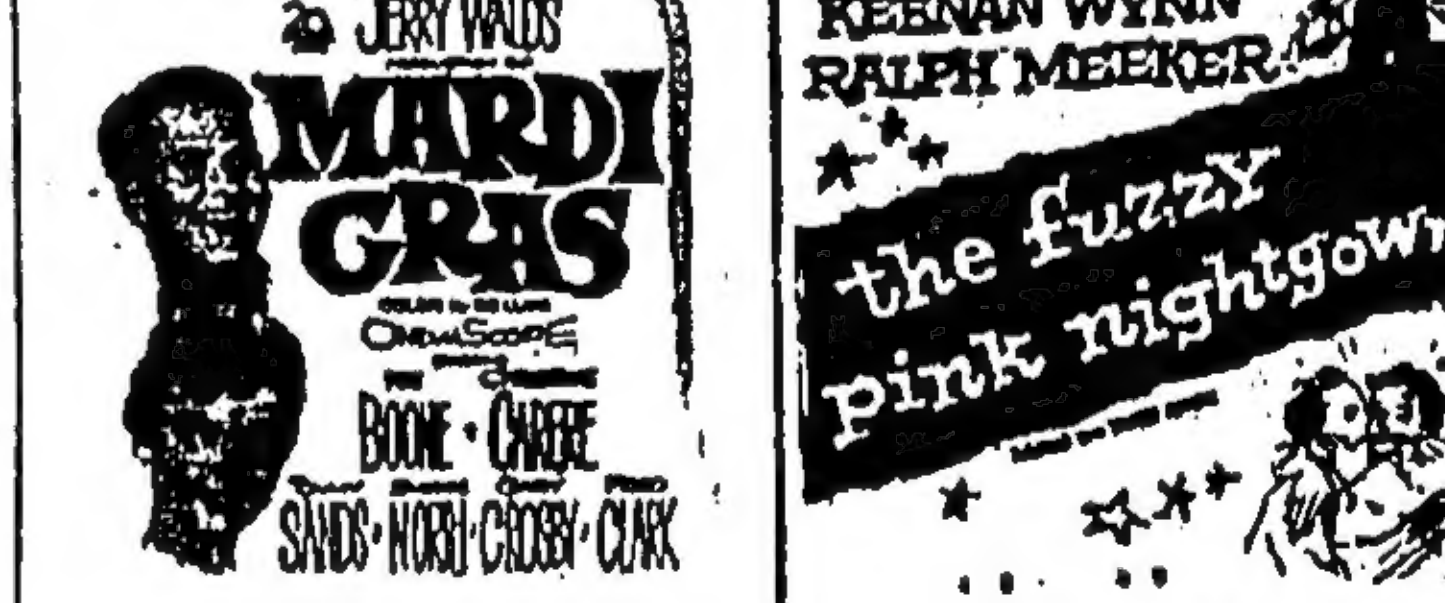
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Sometimes Armed Action Must Be Immediate, Says Macmillan

P.M. REFUSES "NO SUEZ"

THIEVES STRIKE AGAIN AT SANDHURST PISTOLS

London. THE valuable collection of old pistols at the Royal Military Academy, Sandhurst, is being whittled down by thieves. As a result, the pistols may be returned for safe keeping to the Tower of London.

Occasionally a souvenir hunter "won" a pistol—there should be 1,000, worth £15,000. Then a cadet stole 51, sold them for £321, and was sentenced to three months' detention.

Three weeks later, another 10 pistols vanished. Now, it has been revealed another 10 have been stolen. Detectives have been called in.

The collection belongs to the Tower of London and was lent to Sandhurst in 1925 to help decorate the barracks' walls, mostly in ante-rooms. Academy Adjutant Major David Toler paced his office in cavalry boots, and said sternly: "I think it's high time that the pistols were taken back to the Tower—a redeployment of armaments, you might say."

"You can't keep proper watch all the time without a fantastic guard. I can only take normal security measures, and give the cadets a talking-to about it."

At the Tower of London, an officer said: "It's too bad of the Sandhurst people. They've never told us officially about these thefts, and we shall take the matter up very seriously with them."

At the office of the Master Armourer, Sir James Mann, his assistant, Mr. Arthur Kenward, said: "I think it's likely we shall have to withdraw these pistols. They're too easy to purloin at the academy, and there seems to be a craze for collecting them which makes the stealing worth while."

The least the Sandhurst people could have done was to let us know officially. I have written them a stiff letter about it. They were supposed to count the pistols they had there."

PROMISE

London, Jan. 20. The British Prime Minister, Mr. Macmillan, replying in the House of Commons today to a question about the Suez incident, said there must be occasions when action, to be effective, must be immediate.

A Labour M.P., Mr. Arthur Lewis, had said the Suez operation in 1956 involved a contravention of various articles of the United Nations charter.

He urged the Prime Minister to issue a "solemn declaration" that never again would the Government commit aggression or take any action involving Britain in armed conflict without first referring the dispute to the United Nations.

This was unless actual aggression was first taken against Britain, any member of the



Mr. Macmillan

No solemn declaration

Commonwealth, or countries that had mutual defence treaties with Britain.

Mr. Lewis also urged the Prime Minister to request great power leaders to subscribe to a similar declaration.

Mr. Macmillan said he did not accept the implication of the first part of Mr. Lewis's proposal, though he had some sympathy with his intentions.

"Excuse"

But he thought the proposal went too far. "There must be occasions when action, if it is to be effective, must be immediate," he said.

Mr. Lewis said Mr. Macmillan seemed to be trying to excuse himself and his colleagues for their action over Suez.

Mr. Macmillan: "I don't expect Mr. Lewis to agree with

Family Vanishes: Maniac Scare

Washington, Jan. 20. Police and F.B.I. agents were no closer today to solving the disappearance of a family of four, including a baby, who vanished without a trace near here 10 days ago and are believed to have been kidnapped.

Carol V. Jackson, 29, his wife Mildred, 24, their five-year-old daughter Ann, and Janet, an 18-month-old baby, were last seen as they drove away from a relative's home at Mineral, Virginia, 100 miles from the capital.

The police believe they were kidnapped by a maniac, while their car was found a few hours after their disappearance by the roadside.

Tyre marks showed the Jackson car had been forced off the road, the police said, and it appeared that its occupants had been compelled to leave it hurriedly.

Reward

The police said this theory seemed to be corroborated by a motorist's report that he had been forced to a stop while driving on the same highway by a car which swerved in front of his.

The motorist told the police the automobile drove off immediately and that he could not get a good look at its driver.

A \$5,000 reward has been offered by a friend of the Jacksons for information leading to the family's whereabouts.—France-Press.

B.B. As Good Time Girl

Paris, Jan. 20. Brigitte Bardot has started filming in the star role of "Babette Goes to War"—the story of a good-time girl caught up in the 1940 Dunkirk evacuation by the British expeditionary force.

Some of the scenes will be shot in England. Brigitte is playing opposite Ronald Howard, son of the late English actor Leslie Howard, and new French star Jacques Charrier.—China Mail Special.

Australian Heat Drops

Sydney, Jan. 20. A comparatively cool spell brought relief to Australia's heat-scorched southeastern States today, but many bush fires were still burning in Victoria and South Australia.

At noon today, temperatures which had topped more than 100 deg. in the shade for three straight days dropped by between 20 and 30 degrees in Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide and Hobart.

The scorching heat cost the lives of more than 30 people burned to death, killed by heat prostration or drowned trying to get relief from the heat.

New Role For Miiko



Miiko Taka, who played the role of Martin Brand's sweetheart in "Sayonara," is pictured with producer-director William Castle. The exotic Japanese actress has signed a contract to star in Castle's film, "The Castle of the Living Dead," to be made in Japan early this year.—UPI Photo.



They added to the complications of filming "The Thirty-nine Steps," but the twins, Pauline and Pam Chamberlain, were so likeable that nobody minded at Pinewood Studios, Buckinghamshire. The girls, 23-years-old and from North London, have small parts in the film.—Reuterphoto.

American Sued Over Travel Poster Bride

London, Jan. 20. Handsome Mike Walder, a 24-year-old American who wooed and won an Israeli girl whose picture he discovered on a travel poster, said today he was being sued by the tourist agency clerk who helped find his bride.

The young lawyer and his 19-year-old wife, the former Muriel Pilzer, of Tel Aviv, stopped here on their way to Mike's home in Alexandria, Louisiana.

They were married three weeks ago in Tel Aviv, and left the country as soon as green-eyed Muriel, a corporal in the Israeli army, received a discharge.

Mike said today that Emmanuel Dehan, a clerk in the government tourist bureau at Tel Aviv, was suing for £250 Dehan said Mike promised him for helping to locate Muriel.

Mike first saw Muriel's picture on the cover of a poster in the window of the Israeli tourist office at Amsterdam.

One Look

"The look was enough," Mike said. He flew to Tel Aviv and went to the tourist office, where Dehan volunteered to help him find the girl.

They found Muriel at a nearby Army camp.

"We met on Monday, got engaged on Friday, and were married at the Dan hotel in Tel-Aviv three weeks later," the crew-cut Mike said.

"Right after the wedding," he added, "Dehan began pressing me for money. He demanded \$250 and said I had promised it to him for helping find Muriel."

"I had already given him a new suit, a camera and film and lots of other things, because I felt sorry for him."

"But I had never promised him money."

Dehan took his case to the Israeli newspapers. "They made Dehan a national hero and me a gyping louse," Mike said.

When Muriel was discharged from the army and she and Mike tried to leave the country, a court order blocked their exit.

Mike posted \$300 with the court as bond so they could leave.

"They'll hear the case without me," he said. "It would cost twice as much as that to fly back for the trial, and the lawyer's fees are bad enough as it is."

Mike said he could have paid Dehan off to shut him up, but "I'm holding out on principle."—U.P.I.

Holiday

New York, Jan. 20. United Nations Secretary-General, Dag Hammarskjöld, left here by air today for Nassau where he plans a few days holiday.—France-Press.

Tito Arrives

Colon, Jan. 21. Ceylon Air Force planes will fly 14th million to the island today to meet the Yugoslav leader, Josip Broz Tito, who is expected to arrive at Colombo tomorrow.

Twins In Same Film

R.A.F. Anti-Sub Force Shrinks

By CHAPMAN PINCHER

London. The number of aircraft in R.A.F. Coastal Command has sunk so low that there are now two "brass-hats"—group captains and above—to every five machines.

Yet these few Shackleton and Hastings aeroplanes are expected to protect British waters from the menace of Russia's submarines, which now total more than 500.

A big dispute is developing over the control of Coastal Command, in spite of the near-negligible number of aircraft equipped with anti-submarine devices.

The Navy is renewing its demand to take over the Command, on the ground that its function is entirely marine.

The Air Chiefs, who will not allow the precise strength of Coastal Command to be revealed for security reasons, are fighting hard to keep it.

Hurry

They claim that its loss will damage the R.A.F.'s recruiting campaign.

Mr. Duncan Sandys, the Defence Minister, is determined to settle the issue before Lord Mountbatten takes over as Supreme at the Defence Ministry in July.

Mr. Sandys wants to ensure that the former First Sea Lord could not be accused of strengthening the Navy at the R.A.F.'s expense.

The Avro Shackleton, Coastal Command's chief aircraft, is a piston-engined machine developed from the wartime Lancaster bomber.—Express Service.

Return To Sender

Tokyo, Jan. 20. Japanese police today arrested a 17-year-old youth who sent an extortion note to 13-year-old movie actress Tomoko Matsushima, demanding 500,000 yen (US\$139).

Police had little trouble locating the sender. He included his correct return address on the note.—U.P.I.

Lords Postpone Stag Hunt Plan

London, Jan. 20. The House of Lords today succeeded in defeating a Government motion on stag hunting, and postponed the plan to institute a closed season until October, 1962—one year longer than the Government planned.

The Lords, including a number of Scots Peers, voted 41 to 35 against the Government's plan.

Stag hunting which until now has been permitted throughout the year was to have been sub-

ject to an open and closed season like other hunting, starting in 1961.

Now the date has been put off for a year at the behest of the hunting Lords.—France-Press.

He fled the Legion—then rebels let him go free

London. He escaped from the Foreign Legion. Then twice—in six weeks of desert and mountain flight—he escaped with his life when death seemed certain.

After his nightmare was over 27-year-old Charles John Louis Baker leaped back in an easy chair in a London hotel and said: "I'm the luckiest man alive!"

French fighter planes hunted him across the Algerian mountains when he deserted from the Legion—and only the sun-baked rocks around him saved him from their bullets. Then, after a three-day tramp without food or water, he fell into the hands of Algerian rebels—his enemy for two years.

He expected to be shot. But after days of suspense his uniform was taken from him and he was freed—in a green shirt, blue trousers and American Navy blue greatcoat.

Message To Wife

Safe in London, Baker—bronzed and toughened—sent a message to his young French wife Madeleine in France.

He knows that, although he is English, if he goes to France he will be arrested and handed back to the Legion—and shot.

So he plans to bring Madeleine and their daughters Peggy, aged five years, and Daisy, three, to live in England. Baker, God on foot and by donkey, camel and car across the North African desert before reaching the British Consulate at Tunis, in Tunisia, Morocco.

From there British officials helped him to London. And he walked from an airliner at London Airport, penniless—dressed in the shabby clothes the rebels handed him.

He kept a diary of his escape with two German Legionnaires. Here are extracts:

November 12: Walking for 18 hours without a rest. It is terribly hot. No water, no food.

November 13: Desperate for water. My throat has dried up and my tongue is swollen.

Then his capture: We all swing round—to face muzzle of guns aimed at our heads by two rebels, standing on rocks just above us. Our guns are taken. We are led away.

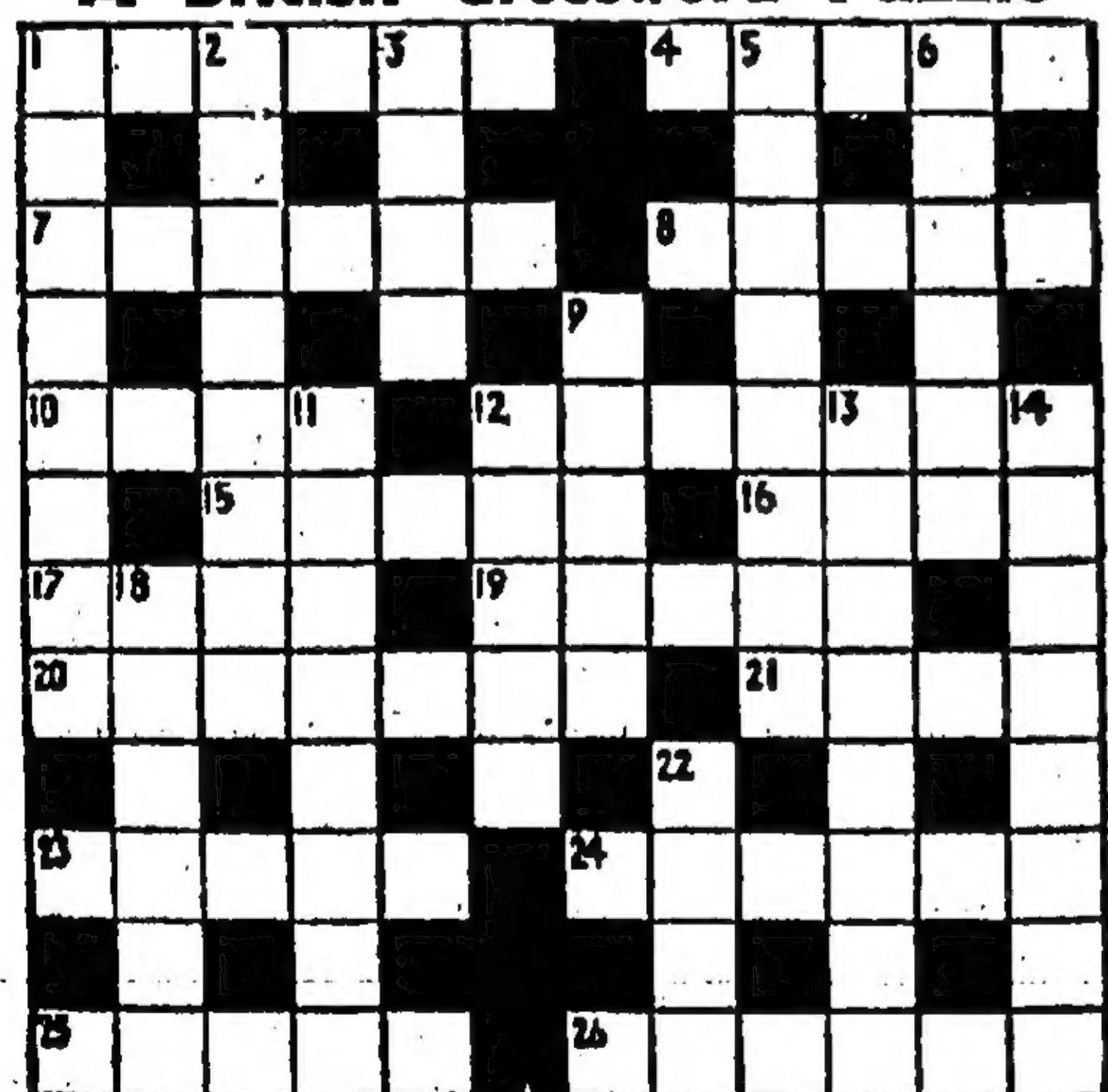
November 14: Rebel officer suddenly shouts: "Disarm!" I think: "This is it. Now we

shall be shot!" Instead, he tells me: "You are in Morocco. Now we can rest!"—Charles Baker.

His wife, Madeleine

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A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- 1 Trader in playing cards? (8).
- 4 Famous dramatist (5).
- 7 Clothes-conscious (6).
- 8 Pigment found in two northern counties (5).
- 10 A tale shown in some pictures (4).
- 12 But can monkeys produce dainties? (7).
- 15 I trap an animal (5).
- 16 Coarse grade (4).
- 17 Potentate (4).
- 19 Comparatively fresh (5).
- 20 What a mirror should do? Just think! (7).
- 21 Bit of devilment, naturally (4).
- 23 It was for a change the middle part (5).
- 24 Ring a bird by the sound of it (6).
- 25 Elong (6).
- 26 Instruction to cook for winter, for example! (6).

DOWN

- 1 He's shaky on his feet (8).
- 2 Initiator gets it if it's a cocktail (8).
- 3 She's for sale! (4).
- 5 Smithfield porter (8).
- 6 Team (6).
- 9 It's a sign of omission (5).
- 11 Vehicle carrying thread in Cumberland (8).
- 12 Dead cert on a horse (5).
- 13 Standard beauty for upstarts (8).
- 14 Mere framework (8).
- 18 Establishment in which men grow old, it seems (6).
- 22 What two frens I leaved (4).

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION—Across: 3 Straddle, 8 Banquo, 9 Braining, 11 Very well, 12 Lean, 13 Tyrol, 16 Sord, 19 Ivan, 21 Unaided, 24 Faraday, 25 Vreche, 26 Together. Down: 1 Above, 2 Blank, 3 Subways, 4 To-R-E, 5 A-n-i-l, 6 Driver, 7 Kaling, 8 Whim, 14 Reins, 15 Lochner, 18 Ladger, 19 Tag rag, 20 Anyid, 21 Adder, 23 Ulst, 25 Save.

Even Governors Rode In The Races Then by

THE SPORT OF KINGS

JOHN LUFF

MENTION has already been made of Happy Valley. In 1843, it was nothing but an unhealthy swamp where the river was dammed to make paddy fields. Nevertheless, its pleasing aspect attracted the European population, who, in spite of warnings from the Chinese, tried to turn the valley into a residential area.

But a former article has told us that the deadly Anopheles mosquito was ready to torment them, and the European population was practically wiped out.

Although it was to be half a century before malaria and the mosquito were found to be associated by medical research, the health authorities, after much prodding by citizens of Victoria, decided to drain the valley. And once it was drained, its very formation must have suggested a race course—and so it became.

There are some bitter-tempered racing enthusiasts who claim that Happy Valley has not yet been drained, and that a few crickets still run round it at the various race meetings.

Certainly racing caught on very quickly, and in 1846, we find it in full swing. There is a record of a meeting as early as 1845, but up to the year 1850, the Europeans went to Macao for their racing, and reports give Hongkong residents moving over to Macao to see the races. In 1851 and 1852 for their race meetings.

The first horse was imported from Manila, and one of these, "Toby," made quite a name for himself and sent many punters happily home with large dividends.

As far as I can trace records, the annual meetings were held in February, and a four-day meeting was usually the order.

The first China ponies were imported in 1859, and a special race was inaugurated for these new competitors. It was called the Celestial Stakes, and the distance was half a mile.

There were also races for mixed ponies, and records show Indian Waters and Arab horses running. These large-headed creatures had to be imported, and certainly was the Sport of Kings in a pecuniary sense. In 1863, some English thoroughbreds were raced.

The conclusion I reach from this is, that racing must have been more interesting then than now, that is from a horse lover's point of view as opposed to one

As an aside, it is not necessary for me to mention that the name of Chater is perpetuated in the road and buildings that bear his name.

Another sportsman was a former Governor of this Colony, Sir Henry May. He was an owner-rider, and I for one would certainly go down to Happy Valley to watch a Governor ride in a winner.

Apart from owning and riding horses, Sir Henry was also an owner-trainer, and as it is said elsewhere that one man in his time plays many parts, he combined these activities with the duties of Starter, Steward, Honorary Steward, and Patron of the Club.

Almost a one man race-course, if he managed to slip in the offices of Judge, Timekeeper, and Clerk of the Course.

As racing was not his only sports activity, I am led to the conclusion that now and again he took a little time off to run the Colony.

He must have been an exceedingly popular figure amongst the sporting community, and his keenness and versatility must have endeared him to all.

Another sporting figure was a certain Mr. "Tommy" Hough. I heard of him in Shanghai from the very old timers, and to them he was merely a legend, so let us get him in here.

He is described by some "unconscious humorist" as having a very hard sent. Modern journalists get over that one by describing the jockey as "firm in the saddle."

He seems to have been a sort of Hongkong Steve Donaghy, for records show him as a firm and resolute finisher. We take it that even those dignified racegoers who were our forbears, lost all control, and shouted him home with a "Come on Tommy."

At least, I like to think so. His long list of successes are too numerous to mention, but he rode a very successful stable, that of Mr. John Peel.

(What a wonderful name for a horse owner!) He also rode for Jardines, who seem to have been prominent in racing circles at one time.

His career finished dramatically in 1884. "Tommy" Hough was riding an appropriately named horse, "Vagrant." He was thrown, and broke a leg.

After this, they made him Clerk of the Course, and as far as I can discover, he left the Colony only just before the first World War.

I often say those old days were much more colourful than the present with its almost mechanical insistence upon uniformity. "Tommy" Hough always rode in hunting attire. Scarlet coat and top hat. He must have looked fine going round.

I think it causes the Jockey Club to look up its records, they might do something to perpetuate the memory of this old timer.

The old race meetings were great social events. The hospitality was lavish, and people used to come from as far away as Peking to attend them.

There seems to me to have been more fun then, and as it is said elsewhere that one man in his time plays many parts, he combined these activities with the duties of Starter, Steward, Honorary Steward, and Patron of the Club.

The ponies left the enclosure adorned with roses, and friends of owners also sported the colours. It was for all the way—with a carefree spirit we never, or rarely, find now.

A hundred years ago, there was a Ladies' Purse, and custom had it that the lady who presented the purse to the winning jockey was given a satin bound programme.

February 25, 1863, seems to have been quite a day at Happy Valley. A horse called Reindeer won the Ladies' Purse, and a certain Miss Pollard presented the purse to the winning unnamed jockey.

Miss Pollard was apparently one of those women who realised that opportunity was knocking at her door. Never, in sealing the social ladder, would such an opportunity present itself again, so in making the presentation, she also made a speech of such length, that the races were held up.

The polite punters found their sense of civility strained to unbearable limits, and the applause that greeted Miss Pollard's concluding sentence was ironical in the extreme.

The unknown China Mail reporter who covered this event, has left on record that as Miss Pollard was the daughter of one of Hongkong's leading barristers, undoubtedly she inherited her father's eloquence.

For those who like a little more information about the races of those days, I can tell you there were nine races on the third day of the 1863 meeting.

They were the Ladies' Purse; the Fochow Cup; the Valley Stakes; the Patna Cup; the Shanghai Cup (Shanghai is not a spelling mistake; no doubt some "classical scholar" rendered that Northern City in such phonetic terms).

Then there was the Forced Handicap (two divisions) the Consolation Stakes, and the Native Scramble.

Forester, owned by Captain King, won the Fochow Cup. Mr. Percy, owner of Pons Ashmore, (notice the value of classical education in those days) won the Patna Cup, and his North Pole carried off the Shanghai Cup.

Mr. St. Ledger, (a wonderful racing name) owned Reindeer, already mentioned as the winner of the Ladies' Purse.

Notice the interesting conditions governing entries for the Forced Handicap, first division. Entries were open to all Arabs, stud bred, and Colonials, not previous winners at the meeting. Entrance \$10 each with \$100 from the Fund. At least two horses from opposing stables, or no race.

Horses to be handicapped by the Stewards after the fourth race.

The second division was opened to all hacks started at the meeting. The entrance was \$5 each with \$100 from the Fund.

Three horses from opposing stables had to be entered or there was no race. Entrance had to be declared to the Clerk of the Course by 2 p.m. The second horse to save his stake, and the race was once round the course and in.

To get a good description of the races, funnily enough, you have to turn to the ancient pages of the Illustrated London News. They had a correspondent out here in 1859, and writing from Hongkong on February 28, 1859, he describes the meeting of that year.

He says in part:—"Three days out of every year the great British and Chinese alike bend the knee, as if nothing had happened; four

of them kept well together, and a lucky fellow came in, in gallop style, amid great applause but some of the others were nowhere and many of the quadrupeds came in without riders, seemingly enjoying the fun as much as anybody else."

"A good race finished the sport, and Hongkong went to dinner, and was merry."

You might be interested in what the Times correspondent said of the same race:—"When we first see the race-course in the 'Happy Valley' we are half tempted to declare it the most picturesque spot in the world. The scenery, however, must not distract our attention while Snowdrop is making the running."

The grandstand and the booths, and the stables, and all the properties of the turf, by no means forgetting the luncheon and the champagne, are all of first rate order.

The one mile and a half from the city of Victoria to the "Happy Valley" is at the proper

time crowded with vehicles and horsemen and pedestrians, and sometimes the pace is rapid, and sometimes one of the party blows a horn.

"The Wong-nai-chong Stakes are of a foreign sound, but so also is the Cesarewitch. Six Arabs come forth to dispute the Canton Cup, but the most important of the six races of the first day. If the pace is not very fleet, the contest is severe and run honest."

Enthusiasts from Shanghai sometimes come down to dispute the honours with the Victoria stables. The Capulets and Montagues of China meet in friendly emulation, and Sir Michael and Snowdon are important champions. (I do not know if he means Snowdrop, previously mentioned).

"Three days of crisp sunshine, the only three days of glorious weather I have seen in Hongkong, crown the spectacle. For the holiday of the exile, and smiles to see him at his best with some semblance of home."

Such then was Happy Valley, a hundred years ago.

JUST A LITTLE MAN IN A BAGGY BROWN SUIT, BUT . . .

Thousands Fought To See His Body

THE whole of Moscow was agog on that bitterly cold January day just 35 years ago. By word of mouth the news flashed through the startled city like wildfire.

It was January 21, 1924. Lenin—mighty, invincible, Lenin—was dead. The unkempt little man with the baggy brown suit who had overthrown a Tsar and dominated a nation had breathed his last.

The Russian people found it impossible to believe that the Man of Iron—as his name means—could have suffered the fate of an ordinary mortal. Such had been the impact of his tremendous personality that he had achieved the stature of a god in their minds. They had to see for themselves.

First in their hundreds, then in their thousands they flocked to see the dead body of their one-time master.

They queued, they pushed, they heaved, sometimes fighting bitterly among themselves, in their eagerness to catch a brief glimpse of the man who had ruled them.

CRUEL AND RUTHLESS was the astounding power of the man called Lenin. Cruel, ruthless, revolutionary—he was all of those. But his people worshipped him!

In his short life of only 54 years, Lenin—born Vladimir Ilyich Ulanov in 1870—had done little to deserve this mighty adulation.

Right from his earliest years his declared policy was to bend people to his will through sheer terror.

It was an aim that seemed to run in the family. In 1887, his elder brother was executed for trying to kill Tsar Alexander III.

Significantly, it was after that date that Lenin's real struggle for political power began. His fanatical beliefs and revolutionary ideas quickly ran him into trouble.

He was expelled from the University of Kazan for unbecomingly political views. In 1898 he was sent to Siberia for leading a small-scale revolution. Exiled and discredited, he still fought on.

It was a turbulent beginning to a stormy career. He was a dedicated revolutionary, a professional conspirator.

He even conspired against his own party and split it from within. The party was that two, between the Bolsheviks (the majority) and the Mensheviks (the minority) came into existence.

Lenin led the Bolsheviks and lulled them ceaselessly and remorselessly. "Give me an organisation of true revolutionaries," he would say, "and I will turn Russia upside-down."

RULED BY FEAR He agitated among the peasants, organised terrorist raids and warred incessantly against everything that signified "law and order."

It was not an easy life. He made enemies within and without his Bolshevik group of anarchists. Even then he ruled by fear.

When the party fell on hard times he organised armed raids on banks and post offices to swell the funds. In that dubious way the Bolsheviks grew and spread.

At the outbreak of World War I they were a dangerous power. By 1917 they were ready for their greatest coup—the overthrow and ultimate murder of the Royal family. It was a dramatic, though gory, success.

Lenin had arrived. In November, 1917, he took up residence in the Kremlin—the ancient citadel of autocracy.

REFUSED TO HELP From that time no one dared to defy him. Those who did disappeared. A short, sturdy man with keen, bright, deep-set eyes, he did not look the part of a dictator.

The baggy brown suits never fitted him, his tie was always crooked, his general appearance nondescript.

It was that simple ordinariness that endeared him to the people. He so ruthlessly suppressed the opposition that they suffered still under Lenin—but the blow was softened. They felt he was "one of them."

Yet when famine came to Russia in 1921 Lenin refused to lift a hand to help the peasants who were dying of starvation in their thousands. "It's a time if 20 millions or so die," he said with a grim



smile, and a shrug of his shoulders. The famine raged on, wiping out whole sections of the population. Still the Man of Iron refused to lift a finger. "You don't stroke the heads of the people you feed," he said. "You smash them."

That was his attitude. Amazing, then, that less than three years later the people he was determined to smash should show such an ardent love for him.

Yet it was genuine enough. From January 21 until his funeral seven days later his body lay in state in the Kremlin in a red wooden coffin on a bier of brilliant red velvet. Lenin was still dressed in his inevitable brown suit. Pinned to his chest were the decoration of the Red Banner and the membership badge of the Bolshevik Central Executive Committee.

Around the giant mausoleum hung red and black drapes. A great hammer and sickle emblem was suspended from the roof above the coffin. His body was to be embalmed and not buried—to serve as a permanent shrine to all Communists.

PLANS CANCELLED Two Russian scientists were detailed to experiment with the methods of the ancient Egyptians. They used four corpses and spent £1,500 before they were satisfied they could do the work.

By night they prepared the body for posterity. By day the crowds passed in a well-ordered stream past the coffin.

Then the plans were dramatically cancelled—just two days before the funeral ceremony. Lenin was to be buried after all—and not put on public display.

Moscow was seized with panic. Thousands rushed to see their dead hero. From out of the city, walking sometimes for hundreds of miles, they came too.

The saddest queue of people became an ugly, fighting mass which the Red guards around the mausoleum did little to prevent.

ICY WEATHER People fought, screamed and trampled one another underfoot. For a time there was chaos. But by brute force order was restored.

The funeral morning dawned fine and clear but bitterly cold—the temperature was 13 degrees below zero.

As the day wore on, the thermometer dropped still further. Few people braved this icy weather to watch the state procession through the Russian capital as the last respects were paid to Lenin.

The procession which had started seriously soon became a fiasco in those appalling weather conditions. The five men who had been selected as pall-bearers quickly found their job too much for them.

Their rumber fingers could not hold the coffin for more than a few minutes at a time. They called for replacements. After a few minutes, even the replacements had to be replaced. And so it went on.

Only one of the pall-bearers, grim-faced and unyielding, willed himself on and on. He refused to accept a replacement and stuck steadfastly through his duty to the bitter end.

His name was Josef Stalin.

SUFFERED AGONY He was ultimately—after a battle of wits with Trotsky, the other contender to become Lenin's equally ruthless successor.

He was a man of whom Lenin had said: "He is no good for the Communist Party."

Yet on that January day he must have suffered agony in the sub-zero temperature to show his devotion.

Lenin was entombed, according to schedule, but the authorities must have relented of their attitude. Four years later, in 1928, this tomb was thrown open for the world to see.

Even today, with Lenin's stature increased, by time and propaganda, there are hundreds of thousands of pilgrims every year.

But the pall-bearers had cause to regret their weakness at the funeral. Four of the five, Kamenov, Tomsky, Zinoviev and Bukharin—were executed a short while later.

The survivor, of course, was Josef Stalin.

—Graham Wilson

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"He always manages to hit the nail on the head—but in such a funny way. He is my favourite cartoonist by far." —Pat Smythe.

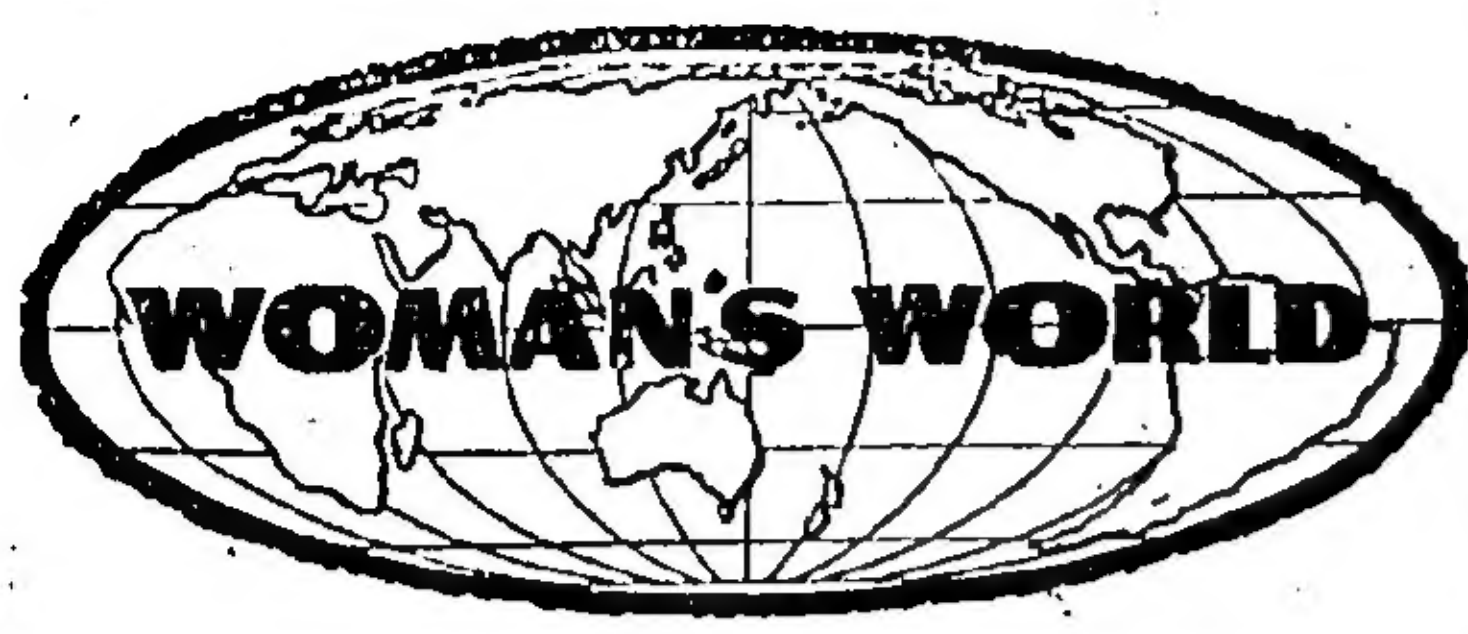
"In every one of his cartoons he says 'This Is Your Life', and goes right to the core of it." —Eammon Andrews.

"I can't say—he just makes me laugh. And anyone that makes me laugh can have my money." —Stanley Holloway.

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WOMANSENSE



THE woman-shaped woman is back in style.

The Italian designers who presented collections during the four-day round up of Spring-Summer fashion shows in Rome evoked almost unanimously for a curvier, more natural silhouette.

Belt makers are back in business again after the lean days of the Empire line and the sack. The waistline has staged a real comeback in Rome. The revival means wide belts and broad waistbands on everything—even coats.

The hippler look is a definite trend in the Spring collections. The hips are accentuated with padding, tucks and diagonal gathers.

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The hemline has its ups and downs. Skirts vary in length from above the knee in the Benetton collection to Princess Giovanni's modest three inches below the knee.

Suit jackets are short—Bolelength in many collections. Sleeves, too, are chopped off. They just cover the elbow.

Rome. Since it's supposed to be Spring the Rome collections are a riot of flowers. Blooms turn up in bold, splashy prints and artificial flowers blossom unexpectedly on collars and skirts.

Orange is the colour for Spring and Summer. Every shade from pale cantaloupe to deep-burnt orange is used throughout the Rome collections.

There is no middle-of-the-road policy on necklines. It's either enormous collars or none at all. Fontana, Cattinoni and Carnet make the most of dramatic collars with contrasting fabrics, embroidery or ruffling. Luciani took the opposite view and used severe collarless necklines in his collection.

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Hippy skirts are at their hippest in the Luciani collection. He pads the hipline to produce an almost two dimensional effect—wide when you look straight at it and rather flat in profile.

The Fontana sisters, determined "to give back to the feminine form gracious poise and pride in line," round out the hipline with soft tucks and gathers. The Mingolai-Fugonheim collection presents stiffened bell skirts that shape the hips.—U.P.I.

SHE'S THE WIFE OF A FIGHTER

WEARING a deep golden tan which complemented her rich black hair and dark grey eyes, Mrs Katherine Moss relaxed during a five-day visit to Hongkong after a successful racing season with her husband in New Zealand.

But following the sun around the world means a great deal more than just getting a tan. Indeed, it means a tightly packed schedule of race meetings, press conferences, people to see and, of course, living everlastingly in the public eye.

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A shopping holiday like the one they are now enjoying in the Colony is a rare experience for a couple who travel 100,000 air miles a year and who spend their time living out of one suitcase each.

At most, only one or two months out of the 12 are devoted to their home in Nassau where they can entertain their friends and live a more or less normal life.

Katie, as she is known to her friends, says she watches every race in which Stirling drives. And upon enquiring if that didn't take a certain amount of courage, she replied, "It does, but it's far less of a strain than sitting at home and waiting."

At night he expected, she takes a tremendous interest in

PEOPLE I MEET
by
JOANNE BLAIR

racing, but as might not be expected, she also has quite a comprehensive understanding of the mechanical side of cars.

"After all," she says with a modest wave of her hand, "I mix with racing people all the time so it isn't hard to pick up a little knowledge on the subject."

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Canadian born and a native of Montreal, Katie was a film editor in a TV station prior to her marriage. She first met Stirling in Nassau while she was there doing film work. They were married in England in October, 1957.

While very little in her work or background prepared her for the exacting job as wife of a top racing driver, Katie is an obvious success. Her easy nature and ability to adjust quickly to varied surroundings fit her for the fast pace and stresses that are part and parcel of being married to fame.

The chief drawbacks of her type of life, she says, are the continual moves made from country to country and track to track with no place to hang your hat for any length of time.

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"However," she adds, "this is compensated by the fact that since we visit the same places over and over again, we are able to become reacquainted with people we have met before and therefore build up a fairly large group of friends throughout the world."

No plans for retirement are in the air yet, so in the mean-



Mrs. Stirling Moss

time, racing continues and spare moments are spent water skiing in Nassau, winter skiing with her family in the Laurentian mountains in Quebec, and as many holidays in England (which is considered home) as possible.

MILK And Your Figure

IT used to be "that stuff" they gave bonny babies, schoolchildren, and invalids. The nearest a pretty girl ever got to a bottle of milk was a bottle of complexion milk. Not any more. The doctors, dentists, and dieticians have got together and decided that drinking milk is a much better beauty idea than patting it on your face—or even than bathing in it, like Cleopatra used to do and Dawn Addams still does.

Visions of long-legged, hair, and eyes, and nails, and streamlined American girls may glow with beauty, your figure stays its same sodgy shape.

The way to slim down to bathing suit size is to diet—using milk, which is a complete food, as the basis of it all.

Here is a perfect week-end diet:—
FRIDAY
Dinner: Half an orange cut like grapes with yogurt on top. Baked gammon rashers and spinach. Crispbread and cheese.
Nightcap: A glass of hot or cold milk.

For your hair

Milk and cheese grow healthy, luxuriant hair. Says top hair-dresser, French, of London: "Lovely hair is basically a question of nutrition—that's why Italian girls have such jolly good hair. They eat a lot of cheese."

Nails need calcium too, so they don't get brittle and split. You can't manicure nails that don't grow properly. Peggy Sage says that she can always tell from the condition of their nails when her clients don't get enough calcium. "I advise them to drink more milk," she says.

Bright eyes

Carotin, a substance that builds vitamin A, is in milk. Your eyesight and the brightness of your eyes depend on it.

A clear complexion needs a healthy skin, and a system free from excess acid. Milk is one of the best acid attackers of all, which is why it's good for hangovers—or a good guard against them!

It's a sad fact that you can conscientiously drink pints of milk a day, and although your

SATURDAY
Breakfast: A glass of milk. A boiled egg. One cup of coffee or tea without sugar.
Lunch: Green salad with lean meat. A slice of lemon. A glass of milk.
Dinner: Tomato juice. Braised beef or kidneys with a green vegetable. Fresh fruit.
Nightcap: A glass of hot or cold milk.

SUNDAY
Breakfast: A glass of milk. Smoked haddock poached in milk. Crispbread and butter. One cup of tea or coffee without sugar.
Lunch: Lean ham and tomato salad. Fresh pineapple and yoghurt. One glass of milk.
Dinner: Dressed crab and lettuce with lemon juice dressing. Fresh apples and cheese. Small coffee without sugar.
Nightcap: A glass of hot or cold milk.

MONDAY
Breakfast: A glass of milk. Poached egg and grilled tomato. Crisp bread and butter. One cup of tea or coffee without sugar.
Stick to it and you'll go down 1½ lb. over the two days—I did.

YOUR BIRTHDAY ...By STELLA

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21

JACOBY on BRIDGE

VIRGIL Anderson of Springfield, Mo., writes, "Barbara Weiner of Joplin, Mo., and I reached a slightly ambitious seven no-trump contract in the Missouri State open pairs."

"West opened the ten of diamonds. (A spade lead would have beaten me. I won the trick and cashed dummy's queen and jack of hearts. At this point, West showed out and the 13 top

BORN in this first day of the new year, especially in the point of view, a seeker after truth and one who sees science as a basic motivation of our world. You are ruled by both Uranus, god of the air, and Saturn, god of time. Each brings an influence into your life which is important. The stars have given you a true touch of genius, but it is left entirely to your hands as to what you will do with this gift.

Dogged and determined, you are patient and forbearing with those who are less quick mentally than you are. You gain the love and respect of those with whom you work and wherever you lead, they will follow. It is important that your ideas are always kept high, for upon you will probably rest the decision of many others.

You are a home-loving person and will not be content to live away from your own family. You will be happiest if you wed at an early age and have a large family. You will want to be a mother outside the family circle. You will want others to come to you, and because of your personal charm, they always will. It is likely that your home will be the center of social life in your neighbourhood.

Among those born on this date are General Stonewall Jackson of the Confederate Army; King Oscar II of Sweden; Francis H. Jackson, novelist; John L. Buchanan, attorney and legislator; Mochia Elman, violinist.

To find out what the stars have in store for you tomorrow, select your birthday star and read the corresponding paragraph. Let your birthday star be your daily guide.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19). Clear your life of someone who has been leaning on you unnecessarily.

PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20). Your good day for the week, so get a lot accomplished. An early start is a big help.

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20). Postpone deciding important matter until next week. This is decidedly not the day for it.

Taurus (Apr. 21-May 21). Be careful of your hands, especially if working with machinery today. Avoid haste.

GEMINI (May 22-June 21). Just put your day or romance, so don't be surprised if things don't go too well.

CANCER (June 22-July 23). Another good day for exploiting a product if you are trying to promote sales.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23). If you have letters to answer, get it done today. You'll be glad you finished the job.

VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23). Carry on with yesterday's good start; study and write effectively.

LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23). There can be domestic problems today but if you are polite you can solve them easily.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 23). Some job requiring your special skills can be handled efficiently today.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 23). Do what you want to do on an important matter.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20). It may not be the weather, but construction work, so postpone it if necessary.

TRICKS I would have had with a 4-2 heart break had become 12 only.

"I thought a while, recalled your recent articles on squeezes and claimed the balance of the tricks on a squeeze."

"It was automatic. I simply ran all the top diamonds and hearts and West had to discard down to five cards. He chose to keep the spades guarded. Dummy was down to three spades and two clubs. Now I cashed dummy's ace and king of spades and East was squeezed out of his club stopper to hang on to the ten of hearts."

"If West had held three clubs I would have played the king and ace of clubs and squeezed East that way. Right?"

Right! A very fine hand indeed!

★CARD SENSE★

Q—The bidding has been:
North East South West
1♣ 1♥ 2♦ Pass
3♦ Pass 4♥ Pass
5♦ Pass 7♥ Pass

You, South, hold:
♠A76 ♥KQ65 ♣QJ984
What do you do?

A—Bid six diamonds. Six clubs is a good second choice. The main thing is to bid the slam.

TODAY'S QUESTION

You hold the same hand and after your three-spade bid your partner has bid three no-trump. What do you do in that case?

Answer Tomorrow

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Postman Discusses Giants

—Knarf, Teddy and Hiawatha Indulge in Big Dreams—

By MAX TRELL

"THERE aren't any such things as giants," Knarf, the Shadow Boy, said.

"There are!" said Teddy, the Stuffed Bear.

Hiawatha, the Small-Sized Wooden Indian, didn't say anything for a minute or two, but finally he spoke.

Wishful Thinking

"My grandfather, who was an Indian Chief, once told me that there used to be giants living far off behind the mountains."

The three friends had been sitting all morning on the top of the fence behind the house, which was their favourite place to sit when the weather was fine.

"I'd like to see a giant," Knarf said to Hiawatha.

"So would I," said Teddy, the Stuffed Bear. "Only I don't think you'll ever be able to find any. What mountains did your grandfather mean?" he asked Hiawatha.

"The Rocky Mountains," said Hiawatha.

"Where are they?" asked Teddy, standing on the fence and looking around him. "I don't see any Rocky Mountains."

"They're far away," Hiawatha said.

"How far away?" asked Knarf.

"I don't know how far away," said Hiawatha, "but very far away."

Heard A Whistle

Just then, they heard a whistle. It was the Postman.

"Hello, Postman," said Knarf. "We're looking for some giants who live on top of the Rocky Mountains."

The Postman looked surprised.

"How long would it take us to walk to the Rocky Mountains?" Teddy asked the Postman.

"Well," said the Postman, after thinking for several minutes, "if you walked all day today and all day tomorrow and all day the next day, you wouldn't get to the Rocky Mountains until the middle of next month."

"That's pretty far away," said Teddy.

"I once went to the Rocky Mountains," said the Postman. "It was many years ago. But I didn't walk. I went by train."

"Did you meet any giants?" asked Knarf.

The Postman shook his head.

"I guess I was unlucky," he said. "I saw giant trees and giant rocks but I was never lucky enough to meet any real giants."

Small Size Only

"My grandfather knew lots of giants," said Hiawatha.

"There's a little mountain on the other side of the river," the



"Where are they?" asked Teddy, standing on the fence.

Postman said. "I think there are some giants there. The only trouble is they're not regular big giants. They're little giants."

The Postman walked away and finished delivering his letters.

Teddy sounded disappointed as he turned to his two friends.

"It's no use going to that little mountain," he said. "It's no use looking for little giants. I bet they're no bigger than we are."

So Knarf and Hiawatha, and Teddy kept sitting on top of the fence, enjoying the warm sunshine. One of these days they'd walk to the Rocky Mountains and look for some real big giants. There wasn't any reason to go to a little mountain and find little giants. That didn't make any sense at all.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"I don't understand it. At home he never hits a wastepaper basket!"

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Rest Of The Colony 4, Combined Chinese 2 WATSON'S WINNING WALTZ

Airman Leads Rest To Convincing Win In The Fat Choy Cup

By I. M. MACTAVISH

The Rest of the Colony won the handsome Fat Choy Charity Cup when they beat Combined Chinese by four goals to two at the Club Stadium last night.

The victory was as convincing as the score suggests. The margin might have been even bigger and had it been so it would not have unduly flattered the winners.

This game was widely advertised and it speaks volumes for the good nature and quiet calm of the Hongkong football public that they accepted the mass team changes—which the match officials did not even trouble to announce on the public address system—without a murmur.

The Chinese soccer fans certainly love their game of football. Where else in the world would the spectators have accepted so lightly the absence of men like Wai Fat-kin and Mok Chin-wah from the Rest team and Yiu Cheuk-yin from the Combined Chinese side?

This is breaking faith with the public and it is quite unfair to the fans who so willingly pay their money at the turnstiles to that they can see their favourite stars in action. There is no magic in big names but let no one forget that the public has a short memory for fading personalities and a long one for disappointments. A few words of apology was the least the crowd deserved.

Many Highlights

In spite of the absence of the top stars the game had many highlights and while the stop gap selections never measured up to the standard of the men they replaced, they certainly played with a will.

There were some good goals and a couple of penalty kicks, which will provide plenty of heated controversy for a long time to come. But more of that in good time... to more pleasant things first.

Harsh Decision

Left-winger Leung Wai-hung moved into the penalty on a neat through pass and the Rest pivot, Lau Tim, went out to the left of the goal to challenge him. The winger held the ball and as Lau Tim slid under him they both went down in a heap.

Another Penalty

The second half was very old when the four minutes old when the combined Chinese fell further behind. The ball was crossed into the goalmouth from a corner and goalkeeper Wong seemed temporarily hypnotised as he allowed Yeung Wai-to to outjump him and nod the ball into the net. It was goalkeeping reduced to its simplest form.

With their lead increased to 3-1 there was a tendency among the Rest players to take things a bit easy... but if they had been unlucky to have a penalty awarded against them in the first half they really got the

thick end of the stick when another one was awarded against them in the 12th minute after the interval.

Penalised

Goalkeeper Wong Shu-woo had to race from his goal to check a strong attack by the Rest forwards. His advance carried him too far and he was penalised for handling the ball outside the penalty area.

The ball was placed for the kick and the usual wall of defenders took up their positions. Lo Kwok-tai obviously had nothing but the poorest opinion of such a line-up and he showed why by flashing a lightning drive into the net. It was a beauty. I doubt if the goalkeeper knows even now how the ball beat him unless of course he has read an accurate report in a newspaper. He certainly did nothing to suggest that he as much as caught a glimpse of the ball as it flew past him.

Play was more even after that and in the 32nd minute the Combined Chinese chalked one of their defeat but I share the view of those who thought they were more than a trifle lucky to get the chance they did.

Angular Shot

Lo Kwok-tai swept a quick pass to Lam Kam-long on the left wing and the unmarked Busman took a couple of easy steps before driving a fine angular shot into the net.

The score sheet now read: Rest of the Colony 4, Combined Chinese 2, and although there were several near things at both ends that is how the game finished.

A generous pass on the back goes to the Rest side for a jolly fine effort. Everyman played his part... and Lo Kwok-tai, Watson, Yeung Wai-to, Lam Sheung-ye and Toledo deserve special mention for their good work.

For the Combined Chinese only Chan Fui-hung, Chan Chi-kong, Chu Wing-wah, and Au Chi-yen get commendations of merit.

VERDICT: This was fair entertainment with some really bright spots. Organisers of Charity events must call "well!" too often. If star players are going to withdraw after their names boost the gate then for goodness let us have the courtesy of an opening statement explaining the cause of the whole thing.

My final reflection has me wondering just what Watson would be worth of our football entertainment if he could have more frequent opportunities to play with the top Chinese players.

The Teams

Rest of the Colony: Kwok Chow-ming (Kitcher), Ngan Chun-sing (Police), Kwok Kam-hung (South China), Toledo (Kitcher), Lau Tim (KMB), Lam Sheung-ye (Eastern), Watson (RAF Sai Wan), Lo Kwok-tai (Tung Wah), Yeung Wai-to (Kitcher), Mak Wing-hung (Police), Lam Kam-long (KMB).

Combined Chinese: Wong Shu-woo (Tung Wah), Lee Ping-chiu (Eastern), Szeto Yiu-tung (Wah), Chan Fui-hung (Tung Wah), Ko Po-keung (Eastern), Chan Chi-kong (KMB), Kwan King-sun (CAA), Chu Wing-wah (Police), Au Chi-yin (Police), Chu Wing-leung (Eastern), Leung Wai-hung (KMB).

Referee: Mr Mak Yeung-fai.

FIRST ACCIDENTS IN MONTE CARLO RALLY

Paris, Jan. 20.

The first serious accidents of this year's 28th Monte Carlo Rally were reported today from the mountainous regions of Southern France.

The British team of Alex Cleghorn and Alec Newsham and their passenger, who started from Glasgow, were seriously injured when their Singer hit a tree after leaving Die.

They were all taken to hospital in Die where it was stated that although their injuries were serious they were not critical.

Another British team, T. Haddow and L. Paterson, who also left Glasgow, were injured when their Sunbeam rolled over several times after skidding on a patch of ice near Le Puy. Haddow, who received a head injury and Paterson a chest injury, were taken to Le Puy hospital. Their passenger, M. Howatt, escaped uninjured.

A high wind, howling over the mountain roads had replaced the snow and ice which suddenly melted away in the Die and Le Puy regions.

Reports from the various control points gave the following arrivals and abandons.

Le Puy: From the Paris starting point, 42 of the 50 starters had checked through.

From the Glasgow starting point, 51 of the 58 starters had checked through.

Only one of the 16 Munich starters—a Saab driven by Spain's Jesus Saiz—had not checked through.

Thirty-nine of the 43 Lisbon starters checked through.

From the Brescia control point in Italy, it was reported that 84 of the 86 Stockholm starters, 15 of the 16 Athens starters, and 18 of the 22 Warsaw starters had checked through.

Their next control point is at Turin.—France-Press.

ENGLAND TAKE ON THE REST TONIGHT IN SPECIAL RUGGER MATCH

By PAK LO

This evening in a specially arranged match on the Club ground at 7.00 p.m. under the floodlights England take on the Rest of the Colony.

This is to enable the HKRU to decide whether England with their wealth of talent should play in the local Internationals as North England and South England or just England, or should they prove decisively strong in this match whether it will be worth holding the Internationals at all.

In a curtain raiser at 6.00 p.m. the only unbeaten XV of the whole season, the White Wanderers, take on a Club Selection, which is not as strong as was originally hoped due to the calls on quite a few Club players for the major game of the evening.

Very Strong Pack

The Rest of the Colony have a very strong pack, with Isaacs as hooker, and the Army North pair of Muntz and Winn in the second row. This is something that Isaacs has wanted for a long time, and he has been overheard to say that with these two behind him he can outhook anyone in the Colony, and this is his right to prove his words.

Facing him is Lowe, but though Lowe has plenty of weight behind him his pack is neither as heavy nor as powerful as the Rest of the Colony's. The scrum therefore should go to Isaacs, but it is likely that Winn and Muntz will have to share the lineouts with their opponents, for against them they have Miller and Newbigging of the Club and Mander of the Army.

The Rest have had to bring in Steward for Bennett as injured, but lately Steward has been playing extremely well and with Valentine behind him should be fully capable of getting the ball back to the Rest three.

Happier And Better

The Rest three are very strong with Martin of the RAF and McFawcett of the Club in the centre, and Inglis and Brown on the wings. This is an attacking three line, and they should be able to find their way through England's defence.

England has Phillips and Anderson as the halves, and Sanderson has proved time and again that he is much happier and much better in the centre of the three.

The English three have plenty of speed but play a steady orthodox game, and as they are not likely to have a lot of the

ball they will be mainly in defence. Defensively this is a very strong three line, all of its members being noted tacklers but defence never wins a game, and the Rest should easily convince the HKRU that the Internationals should be arranged.

Good In Attack

With Croucher hooking they should get the major share of the ball from the scrums but will not do so well in the lineouts. The Club halves are definitely good in attack and there is quite a fast three line behind them.

The Wanderers are putting out their usual XV, and they should win again tonight for they are a team in every sense of the word, and their forwards are always there to cover or join in the attack, and attack they certainly will.

With Elliott at scrum-half they are assured of a steady smooth service, combined with the odd break while Woolfenden the other half, is very clever at finding the gaps in the defence, and with their very fast centres the Wanderers should make it 13 in a row.

Following are the latest standings in the hexangular tournament.

Tonight's Teams

England: Wilcox, Bede-Cox, Watson, Scott, Sharp, Sanderson, Phillips, Williams, Lowe, Shelley, Miller, Newbigging, Roberts, Mander, Clarke.

Rest of Colony: McDonald, Inglis, McTavish, Martin, Brown, Valentine, Steward, Whitely, Isaacs, Mcintosh, Winn, Muntz, Penman, Steven, Campbell.

Whitely Wanderers: Crawford, Watson, Davis, Churel,

WORLD TITLE BOUT 90pc MADE Johansson Asked To Fly To NY And Sign Contract

New York, Jan. 20.

In a last minute bid to save the talks for a world heavyweight boxing title fight between the American holder, Floyd Patterson, and Sweden's Ingemar Johansson from breaking down, the Swedish adviser, Eddie Alqvist will today advise Johansson to immediately fly to New York.

Bill Rosensohn, the American promoter, who is trying to conclude a world title bout between Patterson and Johansson, said that Alqvist will make a transatlantic telephone call to Johansson in Sweden today and urge him to immediately fly here.

"If that can be done, I think arrangements for a championship bout can be settled quickly. If Johansson refuses to fly here, the deal may collapse," said Rosensohn.

Alqvist, advisor of Sweden's European heavyweight champion, came over here to discuss fight plans with Cus D'Amato, the world champion's manager. But Alqvist suddenly found himself up a blind alley when D'Amato refused to sign or even discuss any contract with him.

Insisted

D'Amato insisted that the final details should be settled and the contract signed by Johansson himself.

D'Amato took this precaution to avoid any risk of a legal action preventing the fight. Alqvist had already signed a contract for a return bout between Johansson and America's Eddie Machen.

The European champion knocked out Machen in the first round of their fight at Goteborg last September.

Alqvist claims that the contract was void because it had been signed under constraint and that he was only Johansson's advisor and not his official manager.

Bill Rosensohn said later that Johansson will fly to New York this week.

"Johansson will come over to settle the deal and I hope to have the contract signed by the end of the week," Rosensohn added. The promoter's announcement followed a private meeting between himself, D'Amato and Alqvist. This was the first meeting between Alqvist and D'Amato since the Swedish advisor's arrival in New York last Sunday.

D'Amato said afterwards that he had a very friendly talk with Alqvist during which he explained that he could only negotiate with Johansson himself, because Alqvist was not his manager.

Alqvist then explained that he would telephone Johansson to fly to New York as soon as possible.

Definite Upbeat

Rosensohn said: "Yesterday, I thought we had a 50-50 chance to make the fight. Today there was a definite upbeat when Alqvist and Cus got together. Now I would say it's about 90 per cent made."

Rosensohn, who organised Patterson's last fight against Roy Harris at Los Angeles, said the Patterson-Johansson world title could be held in New York, Los Angeles or Colorado Springs in June. "That's one of the things we will have to settle. No matter where it will be held, it is going to be a very big promotion," added the promoter.—France-Press.

Sports Diary

TODAY

Colony Championships: Southern Playground, 7.30 p.m.
England v The Rest, HKFC Stadium.
Shooting: Hongkong Snayk at Kai Tak ranges, 8.15 a.m.

TOMORROW

Meeting: IKASA Ex-Graves Meeting, SCMP Board Room, 6.30 p.m.
Shooting: Hongkong Shooting Competition, Kai Tak ranges, 8.15 a.m.

India Enter Today's Fourth Test With Weakened Team

Madras, Jan. 20.

India, already two down in the five-match series, enter the fourth Test match against the West Indies here tomorrow weakened by three enforced changes from the side originally selected.

A blow yesterday was the withdrawal with an injured foot of Vijay Manjrekar, one of the best equipped Indian batsmen to deal with the West Indies fast bowlers, who have been mainly responsible for their team's superiority in the series.

Manjrekar has been replaced by all-rounder Chandu Borde.

Polly Umrigar has taken over the Indian captaincy from Ghanam Ahmed, who announced his retirement from Test cricket 10 days ago, after being selected to lead India in the match.

Will Be Missed

Ghanam Ahmed, whose place has been taken by all-rounder Kripalsingh, will be missed for his off-breaks—the best of their kind in India.

The third player to drop out of India's side was C. D. Oripinath, batsman, who fell ill last weekend. His replacement will not be announced until tonight.

The West Indies have named 12 players from whom their side will be chosen. It consists of the 11 players who won the third Test at Calcutta by an innings and 336 runs, together with Eric Atkinson, the Barbados all-rounder.

A grim struggle is expected on the turf pitch, which according to the groundman, will favour the batsmen throughout. Alexander wins the toss for the fourth successive time; the West Indies are expected to

amass a huge total, although they will be made to fight hard for their runs.

For the first appearance in the series for India is Vinoo Mankad, the great all-rounder, whose selection followed his withdrawal of a request not to be considered for the series, or for the Indian team to tour England later this year.

Even if India wins tomorrow's match and the fifth Test at Delhi, which starts on February 6, the West Indies retain the rubber, having drawn the first Test and won the second and third.

The 10 players already named for India's team are:

P. R. Umrigar (Captain), V. Mankad, S. P. Gupta, G. S. Ramchand, P. G. Joshi, P. Roy, N. Contractor, Sureshwar Nath, Kripalsingh, and Chandu Borde. The remaining place is expected to be filled by Son Gupta, Manohar Hardkar or Jagu Patel.—Reuters.

Anderson Loses

Brisbane, Jan. 20.

Mal Anderson, new recruit to the Jack Kramer professional lawn tennis troupe, was beaten by his fellow Australian, Ken Rosewall, in the 2,000 (\$2,800) Queensland professional championship here today.

Rosewall won 6-2, 6-3, 6-4. Anderson's first match.

MCC IN GOOD POSITION AGAINST VICTORIA

Melbourne, Jan. 21.

Victoria, four for nine at lunch on the last day of their four-day return match against the MCC. With 22 minutes left for play Victoria, who lost the first match by 87 runs, are only 138 ahead with one wicket left.

Scoreboard at lunch was—Victoria: 286 and 105 for nine MCC: 315.

Compton, not out overnight, scored nearly half the Victoria total with 64. He was ninth wicket down at 153, when he was caught by Mortimore off Loader.

The last Victorian pair, Edwards and Kline, has so far defied the MCC attack for some 15 minutes to add 13 runs.

Of the bowlers Loader have so far taken three wickets for 29, Tyson three for 36 and Mortimore two for 27.—Reuters.

Scottish League Football

Glasgow, Jan. 20.

Results of Scottish League football matches played today were—

DIVISION I

Third Lanark 2 Clyde 2.

Partick 2 Queen of South 3.—Reuters.

CHESS

by LEONARD BARDEN



Here is a position from actual play. White to move and win. Solution: 1. Bxg6, 2. Bxh7, 3. Bxg6, 4. Bxh7, 5. Bxg6, 6. Bxh7, 7. Bxg6, 8. Bxh7, 9. Bxg6, 10. Bxh7, 11. Bxg6, 12. Bxh7, 13. Bxg6, 14. Bxh7, 15. Bxg6, 16. Bxh7, 17. Bxg6, 18. Bxh7, 19. Bxg6, 20. Bxh7, 21. Bxg6, 22. Bxh7, 23. Bxg6, 24. Bxh7, 25. Bxg6, 26. Bxh7, 27. Bxg6, 28. Bxh7, 29. Bxg6, 30. Bxh7, 31. Bxg6, 32. Bxh7, 33. Bxg6, 34. Bxh7, 35. Bxg6, 36. Bxh7, 37. Bxg6, 38. Bxh7, 39. Bxg6, 40. Bxh7, 41. Bxg6, 42. Bxh7, 43. Bxg6, 44. Bxh7, 45. Bxg6, 46. Bxh7, 47. Bxg6, 48. Bxh7, 49. Bxg6, 50. Bxh7, 51. Bxg6, 52. Bxh7, 53. Bxg6, 54. Bxh7, 55. Bxg6, 56. Bxh7, 57. Bxg6, 58. Bxh7, 59. Bxg6, 60. Bxh7, 61. Bxg6, 62. Bxh7, 63. Bxg6, 64. Bxh7, 65. Bxg6, 66. Bxh7, 67. Bxg6, 68. Bxh7, 69. Bxg6, 70. Bxh7, 71. Bxg6, 72. Bxh7, 73. Bxg6, 74. Bxh7, 75. Bxg6, 76. Bxh7, 77. Bxg6, 78. Bxh7, 79. Bxg6, 80. Bxh7, 81. Bxg6, 82. Bxh7, 83. Bxg6, 84. Bxh7, 85. Bxg6, 86. Bxh7, 87. Bxg6, 88. Bxh7, 89. Bxg6, 90. Bxh7, 91. Bxg6, 92. Bxh7, 93. Bxg6, 94. Bxh7, 95. Bxg6, 96. Bxh7, 97. Bxg6, 98. Bxh7, 99. Bxg6, 100. Bxh7.

THE GAMBOLS

By Barry Appleby



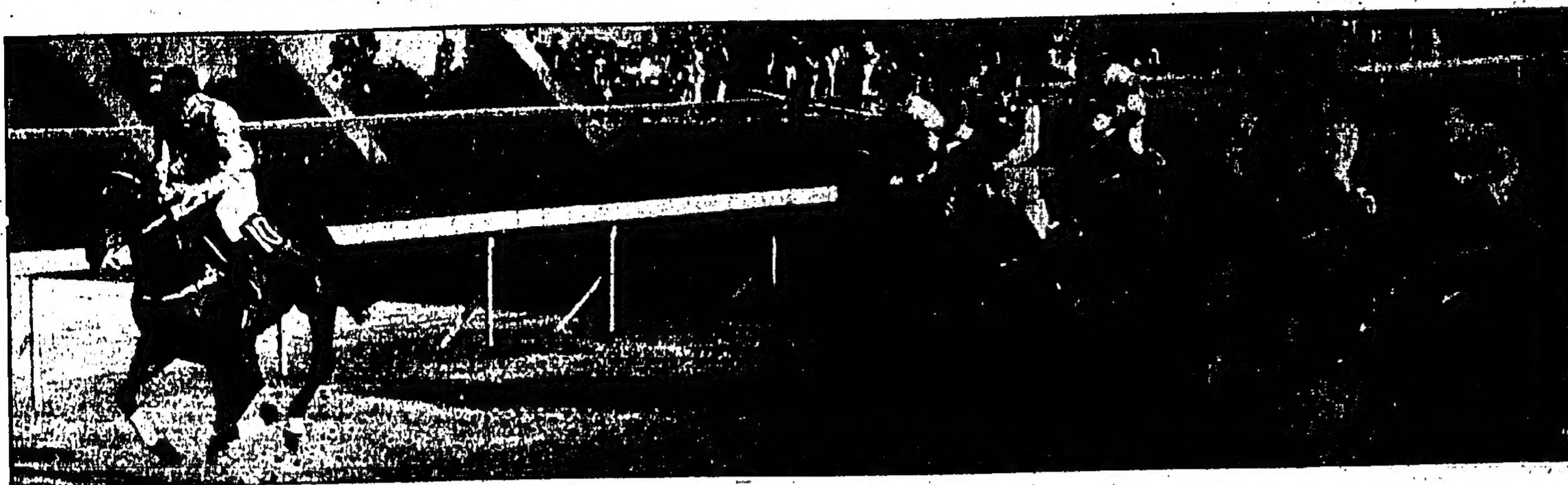
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Favourites once again ruled the day at the first day of the Hongkong Jockey Club's seventh race meeting at Happy Valley last Saturday.

Top photo shows Kelpie the top favourite in Race 5 — Silver Mine Bay Handicap for Class 3 ponies over the distance of half a mile and 170 yards — with A. Ostoumoff up, romping in to a comfortable two lengths win over the field. Babsie (No. 2) was second and Golden City (No. 6) third.

Lower photo shows the finish of Race 1 — Picnic Bay Handicap for Class 7 ponies over one mile — which produced the only major upset of the day. Gay Sire (No. 6) piloted by Horace Chan is seen passing Manxman (No. 9) and Tabitha T (No. 12) to win the race and pay its backers the afternoon's highest dividend of \$53.80 for a win. — China Mail Photos.



FOLLOWING IN HERB'S FOOTSTEPS — Another Elliott is training at Percy Cerutti's training camp at Portsea, Victoria, Australia.

He is 18-year-old Laurie, younger brother of the world mile record holder, Herb Elliott. Here are the two brothers training together on the sand dunes at Cerutti's camp. Cerutti thinks that Laurie might become just as good as his famous brother and already he has beaten Herb's Western Australian schoolboy half-mile record. — Central Press photo.



A re-vitalised France XV beat Scotland by nine points to nil at the Colombes Stadium last week in the first match of the International rugby season.

This picture shows Moncla (right), Mommejat with the ball, and Celaya and Bouquet (No. 12) starting a French attack during the play. — Central Press Photo.



Stirling Moss waves to spectators as he pushes his disabled Cooper down the straight to the finishing line in his heat of the New Zealand Grand Prix at Auckland recently. Running behind is Ron Flockhart shouting encouragement.

Driving a replacement in the final, Moss won at an average speed of 83.8 mph. — Central Press photo.

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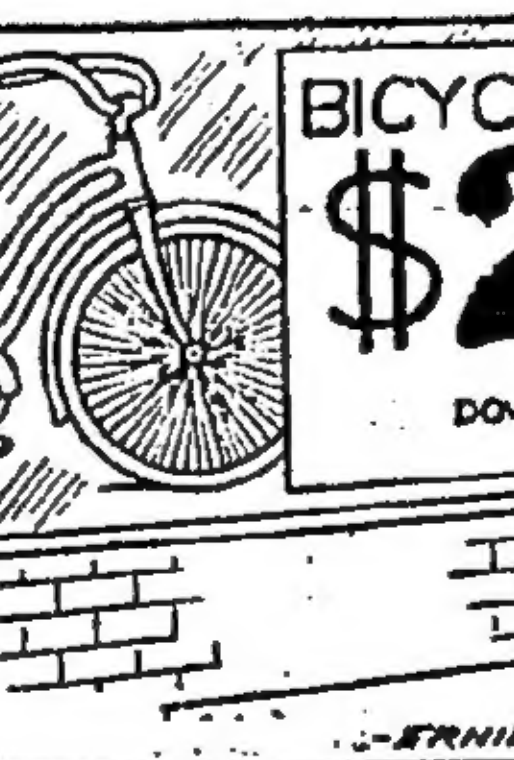
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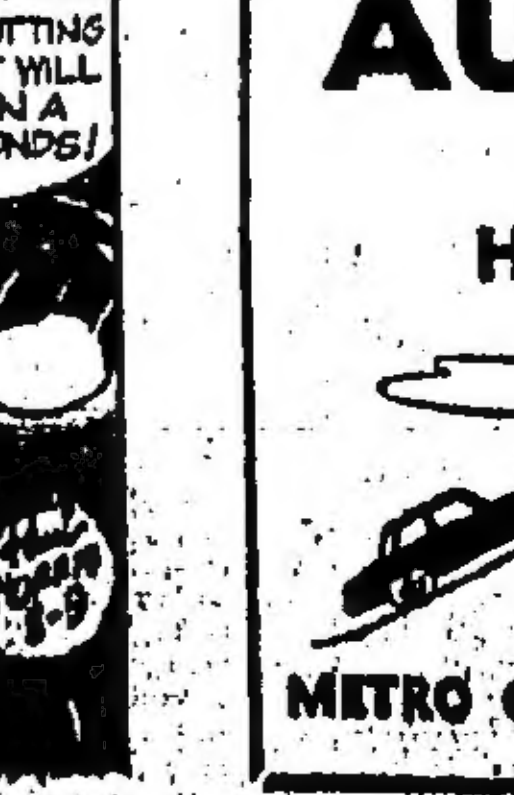
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HISTORIC PAINTINGS ON SHOW

From the Files

25 years AGO

GREAT interest has been aroused by press messages from South Africa stating that a pure white flawless diamond weighing 726 carats was found by a digger near Pretoria. Sir Ernest Oppenheimer, Diamond Corporation Chairman is reported to have paid \$70,000 for it. Largest diamond ever found was the Cullinan Diamond, weight 3,025, in 1905.

A group of Benedictine monks living on the shores of Loch Ness told reporters "Of course, we have seen it." "It" being the famous monster, which the local Abbot speculated "is probably the sole survivor of a species common hundreds, even millions of years ago."

"THIS is the time the Chinese like to eat cats," said the Police at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday when a man was charged before Mr Wynne-Jones with larceny of killing a cat belonging to a neighbour.

He said the cat got into his flat and was stealing a piece of meat when he hit it on the head with a hammer. He admitted he was going to eat the animal. Fine \$50.

Harry Owen-Hughes was run out after scoring 95 in the HKCC match against the Army. The match ended in a draw. Playing for University against Craigengower, A. N. Rodriguez scored 85 while E. Zimmer scored 87 for Craigengower. A. T. Lee 22 not out and A. B. Hanson 32. Playing for the Civil Service, J. Barnes got a hat-trick when he dismissed three Police batsmen, G. Wynne, B. Thorpe and T. H. King. Playing for Recreation, H. A. Alves and E. Spares scored 47 each against HKCC Second XI, while H. J. Armstrong knocked out 10 for the Club.

P. U. XI, the Emperor designate of Manchukuo (the Japanese puppet state, formerly Manchuria) has announced that he is prepared to ascend the throne.

The death occurred in San Francisco of Mr O. P. F. James, freight agent of the Dollar Steamship company in Hongkong and former secretary of the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association.

PRESENTATION TO MRS L.B. STONE

Mrs L. B. Stone, former Chairman of the Committee of the Hongkong International Women's Club, was presented with a memento on the eve of her departure to the United Kingdom by members of the Club this morning.

Lady Black, wife of H.E. the Governor, who is the President of the Club made the presentation and in doing so extended best wishes to the past Chairman for a happy retirement.

Mrs Stone, who will be leaving with her husband, former General Manager of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd next Tuesday, has been with the Club since 1947.

The memento was in the form of a magnifying glass with a

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KAI TAK COMPANY SUED: MORE EVIDENCE

Further evidence was given before Mr Justice A. D. Scholes in the Supreme Court this morning by a Chinese contractor, plaintiff in a suit against the French dredging company, Societe Francaise d'Enterprises de Dragages et de Travaux Publics.

Mr Wong testified whilst he was under a sub-contract from the contractor Tang Yat to remove overburden from the quarry he received a total of \$14,788 in July and August, 1956 for his work. There was some dispute between Tang and himself as to the actual amount of overburden removed, but eventually he accepted the last sum of \$9,000 on August 9 in final settlement, waiving whatever more was due.

Direct Contract

The plaintiff maintained that on September 7, 1956 he was under direct contract to the French company when he was paid \$4,000 by Mr Boele, the defendant's quarry master. On September 29 he was paid another \$4,425 and these sums, together with \$800 to his credit for petrol and the sums he had received from Tang, totalled \$23,013, leaving a balance of \$8,438 owing to him.

Wong said that Mr Boele was the person who paid him for work done after August 14, 1956. He gave Tang Yat a receipt for sums including the payments from Mr Boele because Tang brought him the last payment of \$4,425 and asked him for a receipt. The receipt was prepared by Tang beforehand and he merely signed it.

Wong said that no one else removed overburden from the French quarry between July 7 and September 4, 1956 except his workmen. Tang's workmen did nothing while he (plaintiff) was working on the quarry.

He is represented by Mr Oswald Cheung, instructed by Mr B. S. McEneaney.

The defendant company is represented by Mr Brook Bernachi, instructed by Mr R. F. C. Dennis.

The plaintiff, Mr Wong Tin-jung, is claiming \$3,438 as balance of money owing for removing overburden from the company's quarry at Chi Kwok Ling between August 14 and September 4, 1956. The case is proceeding.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Sir.—We refer to the letter in your January 20 issue headed "Old Hongkong". We ourselves have few records here as so much was lost in the war, but we do know that the firm opened in Hongkong at the beginning of 1870. The first temporary premises were on the then Praya, immediately to the east of Ice House Lane. In May, 1870, a lease was taken of two large houses with godowns at the corner of Queen's Road and Ice House Street. In 1877 a move was made to ground floor offices in Queen's Road, but we do not know the exact location, nor who was the owner of the building. The firm moved to its present offices in 1897.

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'Big Cold' Not So Cold

According to the Chinese calendar, today—the 13th day of the 12th moon—should be the coldest day of the year. But today's minimum temperature was five degrees warmer than yesterday.

The Chinese name for the day is "Dai Hon" or "Big Cold".

Hongkong's coldest winter day this season occurred last week, and since then the temperature has ranged between the 50's and 60's.

This morning at the Royal Observatory the minimum temperature was recorded between six and seven a.m. It was 56.7 deg. or five degrees warmer than yesterday's minimum.

This was caused by last night's cloudy sky. But the same clouds are expected to keep today's maximum temperature down.

The outlook for tomorrow is practically the same as today, the Observatory said this morning.

The minimum temperature should be about 57 degrees and the maximum around 61 degrees.

Motorcyclist Injures Three Women: Fined \$100

A man who ran his motorcycle on to the pavement knocking down three women, was this morning fined \$100 at Central for careless driving.

Mr K. A. S. Phillips also ordered his licence to be endorsed. The cyclist, Leung Siu-heung, was riding a motorcycle along McDonnell Road on November 2, last year in a westerly direction.

Prosecuting, Sub-Inspector S. W. Ng told the court that Leung was riding a motorcycle along McDonnell Road on November 2, last year in a westerly direction.

Outside the St Paul's Co-Educational College, his motorcycle mounted the pavement and knocked down three women. The women sustained slight injuries.

Clothing & Food For Destitutes

Missionaries of the Hongkong Branch of the West China Evangelistic Band distributed warm clothing and rice to some 760 persons at the European YMCA this morning.

It was the third large scale distribution of clothing which was collected and sent by the Mennonite Central Committee of U.S.A. and the Oxford Committee for Famine Relief. The rice was donated by the Church World Service.

Mrs V. H. Dennithorne, whose husband is the Director of the Band, said there will be a further distribution of clothing and food to needy people next week. The distribution was made to destitutes from squatters huts, street sleepers and those living on stairways.



The Governor Sir Robert Black studies one of the paintings at the Exhibition at St John's Cathedral Hall. On his left is General Ho Sai-ai, son of the late Sir Robert Ho Tung, and Mrs. Ho.—China Mail Photo.

GOVT. CLERK TELLS "WHY I LIED"

Mr Chan Hok-luen, a former clerk of the D.C. & I., who testified yesterday at the trial of three businessmen on a charge of conspiracy, said this morning he had given the Police a different version of the story when he was first interviewed last April "because I did not want Mr Lee (an accused at the trial) to be involved."

The three accused, Lee Po-on, director of Pan Asia Supply Company, Ling Hon-wai, alias Henry Ling, manager of the company, and To Tat-ng, export manager of the company, are alleged to have conspired together to get comprehensive certificates of origin to export prawns and shrimps to the United States by fraudulent means.

Ling, the second accused, is also accused of corruptly giving a Government clerk, Chan Hok-luen, a total of \$1,200 as a reward for assisting their company by falsifying records kept by the D.C. & I.

Three Times Cross-examined this morning, Chan Hok-luen said he had been interviewed by Insp. Ibbittson on three occasions in April and May last year. Chan said what he told Insp. Ibbittson on this occasion was not the true story, though he had vouched for the truth of that statement.

He agreed that at the second interview, he made no attempt to suggest that that statement was in any way untrue.

He also agreed that at the third interview, he vouched for a "completely different story."

Mr D'Almeida for the accused: I suggest you are a person who has no real regard for the truth.

Witness: No.

I suggest further this evidence you gave in Court yesterday is completely untrue. I disagree.

Roughly Re-examined by Mr Mayne, Mr Chan said he did not want to give the true version of the story in his first statement "because I did not want Mr Lee to be involved."

He said the version in his third statement to the Police roughly corresponded to the evidence he had given yesterday.

Hearing is continuing.

The case is before Judge B. J. Jennings at the Victoria District Court.

The Hon. Lee D'Almeida, Q.C. and Mr Patrick Y. are appearing for the accused on the instructions of Mr. Peter Mo.

Mr. Desmond Mayne, Crown Counsel, is prosecuting, assisted by Mr. Patrick Y. of the Victoria District Court.

No plea was taken.

NO MORE BLACKOUTS, BUT SEARCH GOES ON

Hongkong Electric engineers have still not established the actual cause of the blackouts which affected parts of the Colony yesterday and Monday.

According to an official of the Hongkong Electric Company the supply of power on the alternative basis has proved satisfactory up till now, having stood the strain throughout last night, and yesterday afternoon.

He said that engineers are now following the overland cable to Aberdeen in their attempts to find the fault.

Yesterday it was suspected that a section of cable had been stolen from this feeder line.

CHARGED WITH THEFTS FROM 3 HK HOUSES

An unemployed man charged with stealing a total of \$14,120 from three European residences in various parts of the Island, appeared at Central Magistracy this morning.

The offences are alleged to have taken place between September 29 and last Monday.

Ang Hock-sang, alias Hung Fuk-sang, 44, of 67 Connaught Road West, first floor, was remanded for three days in police custody for further enquiries on request of Divisional Detective-Inspector R.A. Dugman, who told the Court the case would be heard in committal proceedings.

No plea was taken.



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